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French Govt.'s Desperate Struggle

Punjab M. L. A.'s Indict Speaker

Opposition Stage Sensational Walk-out

EXCITING SCENES IN ASSEMBLY CHAMBER

Police Officer As Marshal: Resentment In House

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT)
SIMLA, June 29.

Chaos again reigned to-day in the Punjab Assembly which finally resulted in the walk-out of all Opposition members.

"Does Unionist Rule mean Police Raj?" This was the indignant remark made by a prominent Opposition member in the lobby as he walked out.

Trouble had been brewing for sometime, but it reached the climax to-day when a new person described by the Speaker as Marshal took his seat on the Dais.

Dewan Chamanlal was the first to protest against the presence of a stranger, but the Chair referred to the existence of the Sergeant-at-Arms in the House of Commons and said that the Marshal had been appointed by Government.

"Does the appointment of the Marshal mean that martial law is coming?" asked the Leader of the Opposition amidst laughter. A few minutes later the Leader of the Opposition took up the matter again and told the Chair that, while in the Commons there was statutory provision for the Sergeant-at-Arms, there was nothing in the Government of India Act. Both he and Diwan Chamanlal referred to the impropriety of having a Police Officer on the Dais as Marshal without the permission of the House.

The Chair agreed that the point raised was important and asked the Marshal to sit in the Viceroy's Box. Later when both Diwan Chamanlal and the Leader of the Opposition were away in the lobby, the Speaker intimated to the House that until he came to a final decision on the point he would allow the Marshal to sit on the Dais.

There was a heated scene between the Speaker and Diwan Chamanlal when the latter returned and again raised a point of order. While the Speaker maintained "As my personal assistant I have the right to allow him to sit on the Dais", Diwan Chamanlal protested that no stranger could sit within the Chamber.

"I am not going to listen to comments and criticism", said the Speaker.

As Diwan Chamanlal insisted in raising the point of order, the Chair charged him with gross disorderly conduct and asked him to withdraw. "We all withdraw."

said Opposition members and they all walked out in a body.

Great sensation prevails in the Lobby. Members of the Opposition are meeting to consider the situation.

DEADLOCK CONTINUES

(From Our Correspondent.)
SIMLA, June 29.

The deadlock in the Punjab Assembly continues.

The only new development was the Premier's statement in the afternoon. He addressed empty benches, opposite revealing that it was on the desire of the Speaker himself that the Marshal was appointed and that if facts had been correctly explained the Opposition may not have walked out. This put a new complexion to the situation, for some of the Speaker's statements in the morning gave rise to the impression that the Marshal who was a Police Official had been thrust on the House by the Government.

Members of the Opposition sat the whole afternoon discussing the position. There was also an informal conference with the Speaker in which the Leader of the House, the Leader of the Opposition and others took part. It is hoped that by to-morrow a way out may be found.

The only difficult is that while the Speaker holds that he is entitled to appoint the Marshal on his own authority, the Opposition Leaders think that without proper provision in the Budget or Rules and also proper official notification such an appointment could not be made. They also question the propriety of having a Police Officer as Marshal and desire that the duties of the Marshal should be defined before appointment is made.

UNIONIST PRETENSIONS EXPOSED

(From Our Correspondent.)
SIMLA, June 29.

An unusual spectacle was furnished this morning in the Punjab Assembly when ex-Minister, Sir Gokulchand Narang, raised the standard of revolt on the floor of the House against the Government of India Act. He protested vehemently against the provision laying down English as the language for the proceedings and called on the House and the Speaker to revolt against it.

The Premier looked horrified and refused to brook any suggestion that they should "break the law". We have recommended that the Act should be amended. Meanwhile the Act is there, added the Premier.

The Speaker, however, agreed that there should be relaxation in applying the Section and ruled that if any member said that if he was unable to express himself in English he would accept his statement and allow him to speak in the vernacular. But he refused to extend the concession to those who had already spoken in English.

PRETENSIONS EXPOSED

Another revelation about the

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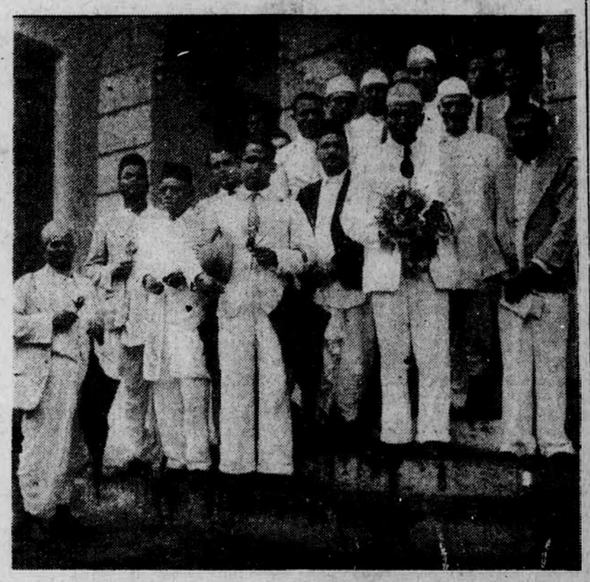

Mr. B. G. Kher, Leader of Congress Party in the Bombay Assembly performed the opening ceremony of the Girgaum Branch of the Kanara Bank Ltd., on Saturday evening. A picture taken on the occasion.

New Zealand Draw With England

First Test At Lord's: 7000 Watch Third Day's Play

The first Test match between England and New Zealand at Lord's ended in a draw.

The New Zealanders were all out in their first innings with an addition of only 13 runs to their overnight's total of 282. Roberts remained unbeaten with 66.

England in their second innings lost first two wickets cheaply for a total of 19. Hardstaff and Barnett, who then got associated, carried the score to 123.

England declared their second innings closed when they had made 226 for the loss of 4 wickets. Barnett, who returned not out contributed a valuable 83 in his 100 minutes stay at the wicket.

At the close of play on Tuesday New Zealand had made 175 for 8 wickets.

ENGLAND 1st Innings	424
ENGLAND 2nd Innings	224 for 4 (Declared)
NEW ZEALAND 1st Innings	235
NEW ZEALAND 2nd Innings	175 for 8 Wickets

THE PLAY

LONDON, June 29.

Weather was again sunny and the wicket good when the third day's play in the first Test Match between England and New Zealand commenced at Lord's. New Zealanders were all out for the addition of thirteen runs to their overnight's score. Cowie being given out l-b-w to Voce. Roberts remained not out with 66. He batted in all for 120 minutes and his innings was marked by well-timed driving, his scoring strokes including eight hits to the boundary. New Zealand's innings lasted altogether 330 minutes.

England's Second Innings

England opened second innings with Hutton and Parks to face the bowling of Cowie and Roberts. Wicket was easy-paced and playing very true. In Cowie's second over Parks was clean bowled for 7 (8/1/7).

Hutton followed him soon after mistiming delivery from Cowie and was held by Vivian at short square-leg (19/2/1). Hardstaff and Barnett carried score to 123 when former was caught behind wicket by Tindill off Roberts (123/3/64). Hardstaff batted for 75 minutes his score including 6 fours. The partnership lasted 70 minutes

Ames joined Barnett and after scoring 20 runs in 19 minutes, he was held by substitute at mid-off off Roberts (163/4/20). Barnett and Robins took the score to 226 without further loss when England declared. Barnett was at the wicket for 100 minutes for his 83 which included fourteen hits to the boundary. He gave no chances. Robins contributed 38.

New Zealand's Second Knock

The attendance numbered 7,000 when play was resumed. There was a shower during the interval. Kerr had two stitches in his chin.

New Zealand opened their second innings disastrously, three wickets falling at fifteen. Vivian and Hadlee opened the second innings. At fifteen Vivian was caught by Verity at backward point off Voce (15/1/11).

Moloney joined Hadlee but was run out by Paynter without any addition to the score (15/2/0). At the same total Hadlee was bowled by Voce off the body (15/3/3).

Page and Wallace however raised the score to 50 in 83 minutes and the total had reached 85 when Wallace was out l-b-w to Parks (85/4/56). Wallace, who was dropped by Robins at five, scored mainly through driving and glancing to leg, occupying the crease for 90 minutes. He hit nine boundaries. Two runs later Page who fought stubbornly for 95 minutes was out, being caught and bowled by Robins (87/5/13).

At tea Roberts and Kerr were batting with one and six respectively.

At the close of play New Zealand had made 175 for 8 wickets

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Punitive Police In Fyzabad Village

Panic Among Peasants: But Congressmen Restore Confidence

(From Our Correspondent)
ALLAHABAD, June 29.

Information has been received here that Village Darabganj of Tehsil Bikapur in Fyzabad District has been declared "disturbed area" under the Police Act.

It is alleged that a disturbance was created by a mob of that village following a quarrel between one Sub-Inspector of Police and a Congressman.

Punitive Police has been posted. Many villagers, out of fear, left the village but confidence has been restored by Congressmen and the villagers are returning.

Twenty-five persons have been arrested at Darabganj Village which has been declared "disturbed area" in the Fyzabad District under the Police Act. No less than twelve Congressmen are being prosecuted in Fyzabad City under Security Sections.

SIR SORABJI'S CONDITION

It was reported yesterday that Sir Sorabji Pochkhanawala's condition is very grave.

The heart is not responding to treatment and oxygen is being administered frequently.

Enquiries at 1 a.m. to-day showed slight improvement in Sir Sorab's condition.

PUNJAB YOUTHS AND M. N. ROY

LAHORE, June 29.

Mr. M. N. Roy would do well to make an intelligent guess of the kind of reception which the Punjabi youths will give him. This significant note characterises a statement issued to-day by the Students' Union, dissociating themselves from a move to hold a Punjab Youth Conference at Sialkot under the presidency of Mr. M. N. Roy.

The Punjab Congress Socialist Party has similarly dissociated itself.

Both declare that the part Mr. Roy was playing was tantamount to sidetracking the vital issue of facing anti-imperialist forces.—A. P.

STOP PRESS

ITALO-GERMAN ATTITUDE

LONDON, June 29.

Although the situation remains grave as long as Germany and Italy oppose the Anglo-French control proposals, it is learned that satisfaction is felt in British circles that much of the Non-Intervention system remains. There was no indication at to-day's meeting of the Sub-Committee that the German and Italian attitude goes beyond withdrawal from active participation in the control.

Although German and Italian observers have been advised to resign, German and Italian merchantmen bound for Spain are still obliged to submit for inspection at one of the International Control Ports; but it is uncertain how much longer the two nations will continue to accept this obligation.

It is, therefore, hoped that at the meeting of the Committee on Friday, Germany and Italy will be able to define their position more clearly in regard to the future control and will see their way to co-operate with regard to the withdrawal of volunteers.—Reuter.

Chautemps Repeats Blum's Demand

PLENARY POWERS TO RESTORE FINANCES

Sensation In French Senate: Bourse Not To Reopen To-day

PARIS, June 29.

The Chamber Finance Committee adopted the Government's Plenary Powers Bill unamended by 17 votes to 16. Five Communists and three Socialists abstained from voting.

In a single clause Bill, the Government demands authority until August 31 to take by decree "all measures calculated to assure the repression of attacks on State credit, to assure the fight against speculation, also to assure the economic recovery and the control of prices, balancing of the budget and the equilibrium of the Treasury and Defence without the control of the Exchanges or the Bank of France's gold reserve."

The Chamber which met this afternoon in tense excitement decided by 393 votes against 142 to postpone the debate on the general policy and discuss the aforementioned Bill.

M. Chautemps will also demand a decree for adjourning the Parliament.

The House was now adjourned until 21-00 hours.

Sensation was created in the Senate when the Vice-Premier, M. Blum, declined to read the Ministerial Declaration after learning that the President of the Senate intended to make a statement which M. Blum regarded as a public disavowal of his friend, Minister Lebas, for attacking the Senate in a speech at Roubaix on June 27. M. Blum returned to his residence and M. Sarraut read the declaration.

The bourse will not reopen to-morrow.—Reuter.

LEGISLATION TO BE RUSHED THROUGH

PARIS, June 29.

The Cabinet in the morning heard a detailed statement on the financial situation by M. Bonnet, Minister for Finance, and approved of the proposals to reform the Treasury position, combat speculation restore the economic situation and balance the budget.

The proposals will be submitted to Parliament immediately and it is expected will pass all stages in both Chambers by noon to-morrow.

It is stated that the Government is accepting no amendments.—Reuter.

FRENCH FINANCIAL POLICY

PARIS, June 29.

The Ministerial declaration of policy outlines the broad financial aims but contains no details.

It says that the Finance Minister will immediately table measures of capital importance empowering the Government to act promptly and firmly.—Reuter.

Earlier Cables

PARIS, June 29.

Both the Stock Exchange and Commercial Exchange Bourses in Paris are to be closed from to-day until a date to be named later by Ministerial decree.

Payment of commercial and other liabilities in gold or foreign currencies falling due from June 29 can be postponed on a written demand from the debtor until a date to be fixed by the Finance Minister.

The decree is interpreted as meaning that the Finance Minister wished to shield French credit from speculation during the debate of the new financial measures, one whereof, according to a semi-official statement, will be "to give franc more liberty in relation to foreign exchanges than granted by monetary law of October 1 when franc was devaluated."—Reuter.

SOCIALIST DEPUTIES CONFER

PARIS, June 29.

A meeting of Socialist Deputies on which the future of the Government is considered to depend is being held in the Chamber at 10-00 B.S.T. The Deputies are to decide whether to vote for the new Finance Bill and ratify the step taken by the Socialist members of the Cabinet in agreeing to M. Bonnet introducing certain measures of direct taxation to which they were first opposed.

Should the Deputies refuse to follow the Minister's lead the Government is likely to fall, as the Socialists are the largest party in the Chamber. Should Socialists approve, it is understood, the Bill will be tabled in the Chamber forthwith. Providing the Bill passes both the Houses, it is expected the Bourse will reopen immediately and Parliament disperse for summer holiday.—Reuter.

LONDON BANKERS' DECISION

LONDON, June 29.

In conformity with the decision of the French authorities to close the Paris Bourse during the tabling of measures dealing with the country's financial crisis, the London Bankers' Committee has decided to suspend all dealings in French Francs until further notice.—Reuter's Special.

"STABILISATION FUND NOT TO BE INCREASED"

WASHINGTON, June 29.

The American Stabilisation Fund is adequate to meet any situation that could now be foreseen and will not be increased, declares Mr. Morgenthau, who adds that there has been no change in the Tripartite Agreement in the past week. The Pact still stands as did a month ago.

While Mr. Morgenthau expects to confer frequently with Mr. Kung, Chinese Finance Minister, he insists that the existing Sino-American Monetary Agreement remains effective, and does not require negotiations at present.—Reuter.

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1. To adopt the Directors' Report and Audited Statement of Accounts made up to 31st March 1937.
2. To declare a Dividend.
3. To elect Directors in place of Sir Purshotamdas Thakurdas, Kt., C.I.E., M.B.E., and Mr. M. S. Captain who retire by rotation, but are eligible and offer themselves for re-election.
4. To appoint Auditors for the current year and to fix their remuneration.
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Bombay, 23rd June, 1937.
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Public Notices.

BOMBAY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION.

An Ordinary Monthly Meeting of the Corporation will be held in the Municipal Office on Thursday, the 8th July, 1937, at 3 p.m. (Bombay Time), for the consideration of the following business:

1. Interpellations.
2. Letter from Mr. R. D. Shah and others—Requesting that the Hindi School at Gulalwadi may be taken over by the Municipality.

3-4. Letters from the authorities of the (3) Khan Bahadur Hafee Bachooali Free Ophthalmic Hospital and (4) Marathi Grantha Sangrahalaya—Thanking the Corporation for sanctioning grants in aid of their respective institutions for 1937-38.

5. Memorandum from the Commissioner—Forwarding a letter from the Territorial Commander, Salvation Army, requesting that the question of giving a grant to the Women's Industrial Home at Matunga may be reconsidered.
6. Letter from Messrs. Ardesir Hormusji Dinshaw & Co., Solicitors—Preferring on behalf of their client, Mr. Ramji Rowji Sojpal, a claim for damage caused to their client's building situated at the corner of Gokhale Road (North) and Portuguese Church Street, Dadar, by the collapse of a trench opposite the building.

Resolutions of the Standing Committee—

7-8. Regarding the lease of certain Development Department chawls at Naigaum.

9. Forwarding a quarterly statement of outstanding wheel tax bills.
10. Requesting sanction to the payment of an honorarium to Mr. S. K. Talageri, L.C.E., Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, after his retirement, for the work of revising the Municipal Building Regulations and Bye-Laws.
11. Regarding the re-organisation of the Divisional Staff of the Estate Agent and Land Manager's Department.
12. Recommending an additional grant to meet the cost of taking a census of beggars in the City.

13-14. Regarding Budget transfers sanctioned by the Committee (13) finally; and (14) subject to the Corporation's orders.

Resolutions of the Improvements Committee—

15. Recommending commutation of ground rent and grant of a new lease in perpetuity of a plot in Scheme 3, Sandhurst Road West Estate.
16. Regarding the lease of certain plots in Scheme 5, Dadar-Matunga Estate.

Resolutions of the Special Committees—

17. Requesting approval to engage a certain number of apprentices annually in the Municipal Workshops for vocational training.
18. Requesting approval to the plan and estimates for the work of providing drains, etc., in Dharavi Village.
19. Regarding the question of supplying sludge gas obtained from the digestion tank near the Sewage Purification Works at Dadar to the K. E. M. Hospital, etc.
20. Requesting approval to the plans and estimate for the construction of the Lady Students' Hostel at the Seth G. S. M. College.
21. Regarding the widening, etc., of 1st Marine Street at Dhobi Talao.
22. Regarding the transfer of the sanitary conveniences standing on the site of Trust Section of the proposed Tripartite Road Scheme 72, to the site opposite.
23. Regarding the fixing of the licence fee for the private slaughter house by 'zatka' process at Arthur Road.
24. Regarding the construction of a tramway siding at the Dadar Tram Terminus.

Schools Committee's Letters—

25. Regarding draft curricula for Tamil, Malayalam and Hindi Schools.
26. Regarding the question of allowing certain teachers the old grade of salary of Vernacular Final Teachers.
27. Reporting on the question of free daily supply of milk to the undernourished children attending Municipal schools.

Letters from the Commissioner—

28. Forwarding monthly Analytical and Bacteriological Reports on the Bombay Water Supplies.
29. Reporting on an application for gratuity from an ex-sweeper of the Health Department.
30. Forwarding a list showing the breeding places of malaria carrier mosquitoes detected in May 1937.
31. Forwarding a quarterly statement regarding the cleansing of drains and sewers in the City.
32. Regarding a proposal from the building tenants of certain plots in Dadar-Matunga Estate leased for an Arts and Science College to construct a basement for storing chemicals, etc.

Communications from the Municipal Secretary—

33. Submitting a statement of undisposed of references before the Committees of the Corporation.
34. Submitting a list of Corporation Resolutions awaiting reports from the Commissioner.
35. Report of the Committee of the Corporation regarding draft amendments to the Sanitary Provisions of the Municipal Act.
36. Confirmation of the Special Committee's Proceedings.
37. Schools Committee's letters —Forwarding copies of the Committee's Proceedings.

Notices of Motions—

38. From Mr. V. N. Chandavarkar, seconded by Mr. Meyer Nissim—For expressing opinion that a motor car and a telephone should be provided for the use of His Worship the Mayor at Municipal expense.
39. From Mr. Hooseinbhoy A. Lalljee, seconded by Dr. Poonsey H. Meisheri—For expressing the Corporation's regret at the death of Mr. Mahomedbhoy Datoobhoy Ebrahim.
40. From Mr. I. S. Patel—For obtaining a report from the Commissioner as to the advisability of reducing the Municipal Legal Assistant's charges for drawing up agreements, leases, etc.
41. From Mrs. Lilavati K. Munshi—For obtaining a report from the Commissioner as to the feasibility of starting a Municipal Dairy.
42. From Mr. Mohanlal M. Desai, seconded by Mr. E. R. Hirjibehedin—For expressing opinion that appointments in Municipal service should be made by maintaining a fair proportion of every important community in Bombay.
43. From Mr. K. H. Goregaoker —For requesting the B. E. S. & T. Co., Ltd., to open more centres or employ more hands for receiving payment of electrical bills.
44. From Mr. D. Cawasji—For requesting the G. I. P. Railway authorities to provide extra Booking Offices at the Matunga Station during rush hours.

45-47. From Mr. Cooverji J. Shah—For (45) requesting the Commissioner to invite separate tenders for vegetarian and non-vegetarian foodstuffs to be supplied to the Municipal Hospitals, (46) obtaining a report from the Commissioner as to the existence, etc., of Tawda shops and factories round about the Dongri New Market and (47) regarding the abolition of a 'phara' of 13 'pailies.'

By Order of His Worship
the Mayor,
D. V. NADKARNI,
Municipal Secretary.

Municipal Corporation Office,
Bombay, 29th June, 1937.
5745

Legal Notices.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION,
Suit No. 171 of 1927.

COOVERJI UMERSEY ..... Plaintiff
vs.
MAWJI WAGHJI & Ors. ..... Defendants

Pursuant to Decree Absolute for Sale, dated 23rd February, 1937, the following immovable properties will be sold by Public Auction by the Commissioner of this Honourable Court on the respective premises as follows:—

Lot No. 1 being property at Kings Lane on Saturday, 3rd July, 1937, at 4 P.M.

Lot No. 2 being property at Bora Bazar on Saturday, 3rd July, 1937 at 4-30 P.M.

LOT NO. I:—Property of Quit and Ground Rent Tenure, admeasuring about 265 square yards with Building situate on the Southern Side of King Lane Bazar Gate, within the Fort of Bombay and bearing Cadastral Survey No 950 of the Fort Division and New Survey No 8823 and Municipal A Ward No. 2596 and Street No. 5.

LOT NO II:—Property of Quit and Ground Rent Tenure admeasuring 226 square yards with building situate on the Western Side of Bora Bazar Street within the Fort of Bombay and bearing Cadastral Survey No. 952 of Fort Division and new Survey Nos 8821 and 8821 and Municipal A Ward No. 2305, Street Nos. 100 to 104.

For further particulars and conditions of Sale, application should be made at the Office of the said Commissioner or at the Office of Messrs. ARDESHIR HORMUSJI DINSHAW & CO., Attorneys for the Plaintiff abovenamed at No 113, Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay.

Dated this 29th day of April, 1937.

(Sd.) G. R. KHAIRAZ,
Commissioner.
5739.

Public Notices.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, No. VII of 1913.
and
In the matter of KOPRAN CHEMICAL AND PHARMACEUTICAL WORKS, Limited.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Mr. RATILAL TRIBHOVANDAS THAKKAR has withdrawn his consent to be a Director of the above Company on becoming aware of certain misleading statements made in the Prospectus of the Company.

Bombay, dated the 28th day of June, 1937.

HIRALAL M. MEHTA & CO.,
Attorneys for Mr. Ratilal Tribhovandas Thakkar.
5743.

Legal Notices.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that (1) KAIKHUSHROO FRAMJI BHARUCHA, (2) KANJI DEVJI MISTRY and (3) MAKANJI DEVJI MISTRY all of Bombay, No. 1 a Parsi and Nos 2 and 3 Hindus have contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client.

All persons having any claim or interest in or to the said property or any part thereof by way of sale, mortgage, lease, lien, possession, trust, gift, inheritance or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office at Bombay House, Bruce Street, Bombay, 1 within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without any such claim and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of land hereditaments and premises of Pension and Tax tenure (redeemed) situate, lying and being at Forjett Cross Lane in the Island and Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 550 square yards or thereabouts together with the messuage tenement or dwelling house known as "Happy Home," standing thereon and registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue as part of Old Nos. 406 and 442, New Nos. A/2290 and A/2319, part of Old Survey No. 58 and New Survey No. 1/7066 and bearing part of Cadastral Survey No. 25/644 Malbar and Cumballa Hill Division and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under D Ward No. 3412(3) Street No. 16 and bounded as follows:—that is to say, on or towards the East by Forjett Street Cross Lane, on or towards the South by property of Pestonji Cursetji Irany being Plot No. 2, on or towards the West by other property of the Vendors and beyond that by Raghavji Road and on or towards the North by the property of Sorabji Hormusji Contractor known as Bombay View being Plot No. 16.

Dated this 29th day of June 1937.

KAMDAR & CO.,
Purchaser's Attorneys.
5747.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE JURISDICTION.

GEORGE VI, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

Petition for Letters of Administration for the use and benefit of VASUDEVA, son of Venkappayya Vasudevayya Kanemar, a minor and limited to the period of his minority of the property and credits of Venkappayya, Vasudevayya Kanemar of Bombay, Brahmin Hindu Inhabitant, a hotel-keeper, residing at Frere Road, within the Fort .....Deceased.

Bai SUBBAMMA, widow of Venkappayya Vasudevayya Kanemar, of Bombay, Brahmin Inhabitant, residing at Frere Road within the Fort .....Petitioner.

All persons claiming to have any interest in the Estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby cited to come and see the Proceedings, if they think fit, before the Grant of Letters of Administration.

Witness SIR JOHN WILLIAM FISHER BEAUMONT, Knight, Chief Justice at Bombay aforesaid, this 7th day of June, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and thirty seven and in the first year of our Reign.

Seal of the High Court at Bombay

(Sd.) H. A. VAKIL.
For Prothonotary and Senior Master.

TAHIR ALI.

The 7th day of June, 1937.
Messrs. SOLOMON & CO.,
Petitioner's Attorneys.
(5746)

Legal Notices.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

In the matter of the Indian Companies' Act VII of 1913.
and
In the matter of LEACH & WEBORNY, LTD.
JAMSHEDJI KAVASJI DUBASH of Bombay Parsi Inhabitant, residing at Palmlands, Nepean Road, outside the Fort ..... Petitioner.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Petition for the winding up of the abovenamed Company by the High Court of Judicature at Bombay was on the 25th day of June, 1937, presented to the Court by the Petitioner abovenamed, a creditor, and that the said petition is directed to be heard before this Hon'ble Court on the 23rd day of July, 1937 and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an order for the winding up of the said Company under the above Act should appear at the time of hearing by himself, his attorney or his Counsel for that purpose and a copy of the Petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

Dated this 26th day of June, 1937.

PAYNE & CO.,
Petitioner's Attorneys.
54, Esplanade Road, Fort Bombay.
5741.

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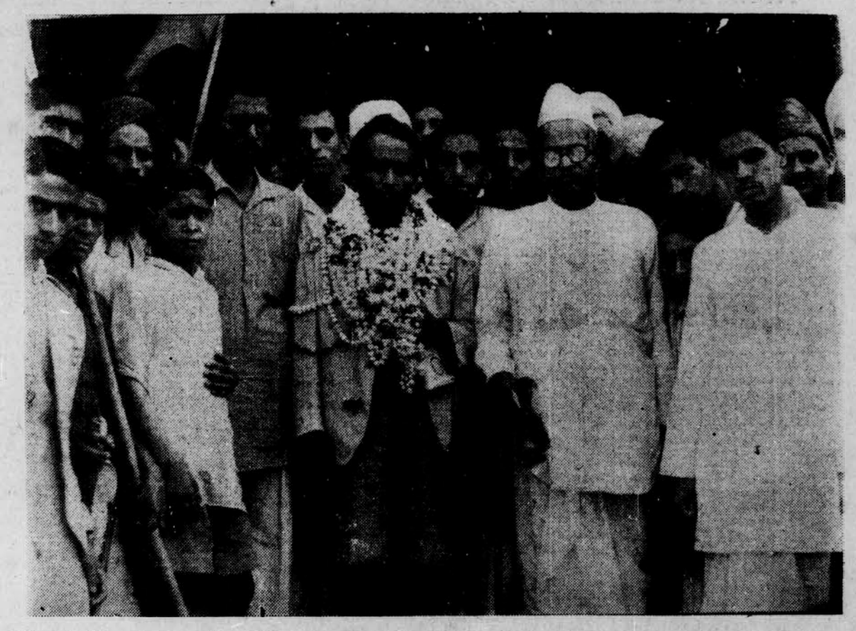
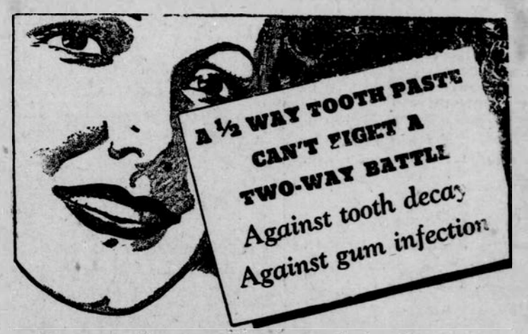


Munshi Ahmad Din, a Socialist worker (garlanded), who was acquitted by the Punjab High Court, on appeal, in sedition case. He was given reception at Lahore Rail way Station on Thursday.



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AROUND THE COURTS

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

On a charge of receiving sutta bets at Falkland Road Bridge, Nardeo, two persons, Balu Laxman and Dewoo Rawji were arrested at 10-30 last night.

Cash of about Rs. four and a chit bearing figures, were, it is stated, found on them.

They were placed before Mr. I. S. Hajiani the Mazagaon Police Court to-day and were ordered to be released on bail till July 5.

Receiving sutta bets at Memonwada Road at about ten last night, was the charge against Abdul Rehman Esmail who was placed before the Magistrate at Mazagaon Court to-day.

Esmail was remanded into police custody till July 1 as he could not furnish bail of Rs. 100.

Naigaum Raid

The Anti-Gambling Squad arrested last night four persons in the open maidan behind Kohinoor Mills, situated on Naigaum Cross Lane, and placed them before the Presidency Magistrate, Dadar Court to-day, charged with sutta gambling.

The police are stated to have found five sutta chits and Rs. 24 in cash on their person. The accused were ordered to be released on bail till July 13th.

The names of the accused are: Holi Das Kanji, Hasan Habid, Ghulam Hussein and Abba Krishna.

"That death was caused by homicidal incised wounds on the throat" was the verdict returned by the Bombay Coroner's Jury today at the inquest on Rajanna (27), a labourer, who was found lying with his throat cut near the huts situated on the Reclamation Ground, Church Gate Station on June 4, last.

A rider was added that the deceased had been murdered by a culprit who has not yet been traced.

A verdict of accidental death was returned to-day, by the Bombay Coroner's jury at the inquest on Hari Shelke, a lame man, who was run over by an 'up' train of the G. I. P. Railway, and was killed between Wadala and Sewri yesterday while trespassing on the railway tracks.

The City Coroner's jury returned a verdict of death by an overdose of opium, voluntarily administered, at the inquest on Mawji Mahadeo (30) a mill worker.

He was admitted to the K. E. M. Hospital yesterday, suffering from the effects of opium poisoning. He died there the same day.

Every partner, whether directly or indirectly, interested in the Clubs raided on Saturday, is to be placed under arrest by means of warrants.

This is the latest move of the authorities following amazing revelations in the records seized by the police from the three Clubs alleged to be gambling dens.

It is believed that the authorities are contemplating very serious and rigorous measures to be adopted against those who have conducted in open defiance clubs of this nature and who escaped the round-up so ably organised by Mr. N. M. Kamte, the Deputy Commissioner of Police.

"There is nothing before the Court to show that the respondent really scrutinised the details before he signed the income-tax return forms" remarked the Chief Presidency Magistrate, Bombay, today, in acquitting Mr. Gordandas T. Mangaldas, a rich landlord of the City, who was charged with making out false income-tax returns.

Further examination of the witness Ratilal Nanavaty was proceeded with yesterday before Mr. D. N. D. Khandalawalla, Presidency Magistrate, Esplanade Police Court, in the case in which Chandulal Punamchand Shroff and Mahomed Ali Kapadia were charged with having obtained a decree against the Overseas Transport Company, by fraud and collusion.

Manecklal Chotalal, arrested in connection with "Sutta" gaming, was ordered to be discharged, as there was no sufficient evidence to place him on a charge-sheet, by Mr. I. N. Mehta, Presidency Magistrate, Girgaum, on Tuesday. It will be recalled that the accused with two other minor boys were arrested at 2nd Bhoiwada by Sub-Inspector Alikhan on April 29 last.

The two other accused boys are charged with using the place as a common gaming house. Further hearing of the case was postponed to July 6.

Mr. M. N. Talpade appeared for the third accused, who was ordered to be discharged.

DEPUTATION OF DEMOCRATIC FRONT

Kurla Citizens Confirm Its Personnel

A public meeting of the citizens of Kurla was held in Mr. A. R. I. Fitwalla's premises under the auspices of the Kurla Citizens' Democratic Front on Saturday Mr. J. S. Pereira was in the chair.

Messrs. A. R. I. Fitwalla, T. T. Suryawanshi, Shankar Gaykar, R. M. Jambhekar, and Jatashankar Pande addressed the meeting.

The following resolution was then moved by Mr. M. N. Azami:

"This meeting of Kurla citizens wholeheartedly confirms the personnel of the deputation of the Democratic Front as appointed by the central council to wait upon the Honourable the Minister for local-self-government, expresses entire satisfaction as to its representative character, and declares its unshakable confidence in it.

"This meeting further fully appreciates and supports the decision of the Central Council of the Democratic Front to continue the campaign for a municipality based on elected representatives of the people despite the fact that the Minister for local self-government has invited a deputation."

The resolution was unanimously carried after being duly seconded by Mr. G. S. Ghag.

LINE OF APPROACH.

The Central Council of the Democratic Front met on Sunday last and unanimously accepted the line of approach that is to guide the deputation as proposed by the Drafts Committee.

Messrs. J. S. Pereira, A. R. I. Fitwalla, R. M. Jambhekar, M. N. Patankar and S. I. Dave were appointed as leading speakers of the deputation.

ANOTHER PREHISTORIC SITE

At Nadiha

The attention of the Archaeological Department has been recently drawn to the existence of a prehistoric site in the outskirts of Nadiha, a village on the river Damodar, near Durgapur in Burdwan District. The credit of recognising the importance of the site goes to Mr. Ajit Kumar Mukherji of Nadiha, who had collected some antiquities like stone celts pottery and beads of semi-precious stones from the place and showed them to Mr. Majumdar, Superintendent Archaeological Section Indian Museum, Calcutta. Subsequently, the latter inspected the site and reported the find to the Director General of Archaeology in India. Necessary steps are being taken to have the site declared protected and some trial operations, it is expected, will be conducted there by Mr. Majumdar during the next cold weather.

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Results Of Practical Examinations

The following are the results of the June Practical Examinations of the Trinity College of Music, London, held at the Bombay Local Centre. The Examiner was Sir Granville Bantock, M.A., Mus. D.:—

LICENTIATE (L.T.C.L.) PASS.
Charles R. Gardner (Bandmastership).
Motan Patel (P) (Miss G. Joseph, L.T.C.L).
Sheila Pascoe (P) (Convent of Jesus and Mary, Clare Road).
Crispino Noronha (V) (Mr. J. M. D'Souza, B.A., L.T.C.L.).
Meheri P. Kapadia (P) (Mrs. J. N. Faria, L.T.C.L.).
ASSOCIATE (A.T.C.L.) PASS.
Shirin J. Hormusji (P) (Mrs. J. N. Faria, L.T.C.L.).
HIGHER LOCAL DIVISION PASS.
Helen Sopher (P) (Miss E. Hartle).
Barbara Phillips (P) (Mrs R. Smith, L.T.C.L.).
Coomi P. Chotia (P) (Miss M. F. Pereira, L.T.C.L.).
SENIOR DIVISION HONOURS.
Ruby Fonseca (S) (Mrs. H. Flanders, L.T.C.L.).
Jean S. Christie (P) (Miss A. Lyons, L.T.C.L).
PASS WITH MERIT.
Phoebe O. Evans (P) (Miss A. Lyons, L.T.C.L.).
PASS.
Olive Lazarus (P) (St. Teresa's Convent, Santa Cruz).
INTERMEDIATE DIVISION HONOURS.
Theresa M. Athaide (P) (Miss Ivy da Costa, F.T.C.L.).
PASS WITH MERIT.
Jazad J. Punegar (V) (Miss Gool D. Tata, L.T.C.L.).
Dora D'Mello (P) (Convent of Jesus and Mary, Clare Road).
Esme D'Silva (P) (Mrs. S. Nunes F.T.C.L.).
PASS.
Laura D'Cunha (P) (Mrs. S. Nunes, F.T.C.L.).
Khorsed F. Vasunia (P) (Miss M. F. Pereira, L.T.C.L.).
Frederick J. Oss (V) (Mr. J. J. D'Silva).
Dolat H. Billimoria (V) (Mr. K. Vesavevala).
Rustom J. Manekshaw (V) (Mr. F. X. Dinez).
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Emma Rebello (P) (Miss Irene D'Souza).
Melba D'Cunha (P) (Mrs. S. Nunes, F.T.C.L.).
Olive Saldanha (P) (Miss Melita Rodrigues, L.T.C.L.).
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Naju Damkevala (P) (Mrs. S. Nunes, F.T.C.L.).
Ena Rebello (P) (Miss Irene D'Souza).
Maki A. Master (V) (Mr. Maneck D. Master).
Feroze N. Ghadially (V) (Mr. F. X. Dinez).
Mary B. Mascarenhas (P) (Miss J. Watson, L.T.C.L.).
Piloo S. Engineer (P) (Mr. M. P. Bhagat, F.T.C.L.).
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Mehru F. Dubash (P) (Miss K. J. Bamboat).
Bomi N. U. Kalapesi (V) (Mr. J. C. Castelino).
Leonarda Fernandes (P) (Mr. Lino Athaide).
Mabel L. D'Souza (P) (Miss A. Lyons, L.T.C.L.).
Timmana S. Rao (V) (Mr. F. X. Gracias).
Wilson DeSouza (P) (Miss F. Fialho, L.T.C.L.).
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Gummar M. Fernandez (P) (Mr. Wenceslaus Fernandez).
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Malvis Mathias (P) (Mrs. Grace Leo).
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Rustomjee C. Cooper (V) (Mr. J. M. D'Souza, B.A., L.T.C.L.).
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Jimy Framroze (P) (Mrs. R. Smith, L.T.C.L.).
Thrity J. Kuka (V) (Mr. F. X. Dinez).
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PASS WITH MERIT.
Neil Alvares (P) (Mr. Mario Lopez).
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Philip R. Coutinho (P) (Miss A. Lyons, L.T.C.L.).
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7-0 Sitar Solo. By Haider Husain Chughtai. 7-10 V. N. Patwardhan of Poona. (Principal, Gandharva Mahavidyalya.) Classical and Light Music. 7-40 Frontier Dance Tune on Sarinda. 7-45 Zohra Jan. 8-10 "Ham Bhi Hai". (A programme for women). In the Women's world. News in Hindustani. 8-15 Folk Songs. 8-25 Household Hints. (Hindustani): "Your Health and Looks." by Miss Ashfaq Ahmad. 8-35 Folk Songs. 8-40 1st News (Hindustani): 8-50 1st News (English).
p.m.
6-30 AIR Orchestra. Marwa. 6-40 V. N. Patwardhan. Classical and Light Music. 7-10 Sarangi Solo. By Ghulam Sabir. 7-20 Zohra Jan. Naat. 7-45 "For Villagers Only". (Time Signal and Delhi Market Rates at 8-0 p.m.) 8-30 Talk (Hindustani): "The Curse of Wealth." By Lala Shanker Lal. 8-45 Play. (Hindustani): "Diwana Shaukar". By Ghulam Abbas. (Performed by AIR Artists.) 9-15 2nd News and Weather Report (Hindustani). 9-30 2nd News and Weather Report (English). 9-45 Talk (English): "From Script to Screen." No. 7. The Problem of the Financier. By Rafi Peer. 10-0 V. N. Patwardhan. Classical and Light Music. 10-35 Zohra Jan.

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Sunrise: 6h 4m
Sunset: 7h 20m
Municipal Standing Committee 4-10 p.m.
Schools Committee, 4-40 p.m.

Thursday, July 1.

S. S Cathay with Mails from London of the 17th instant due at 4 p.m.

BHARAT SEVA DAL MANDIR

A general meeting of the Bharat Seva Dal Mandir will be held to-day (Wednesday) at 5-30 p.m. in the Hall of the Mandir at Soonawalla Building, Dadar Main Road.

BOMBAY SHAREHOLDERS' ASSOCIATION

The first quarterly meeting of the Association will be held in its office (Aga Khan Building, Dalal Street, Fort) to-day (Wednesday) at 5 p.m.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS

The O S K steamer 'Borneo Maru' left Singapore on June 26 and is due to arrive in Bombay on July 11 via Penang and Colombo.

The O S K steamer 'Taijin Maru' left Moji on June 28 and is due to arrive in Bombay on July 24 via usual ports.

MUNICIPAL WORKERS' UNION

An urgent meeting of the Managing Committee of the Municipal Workers' Union will be held to-day (Wednesday) at 5-30 p.m. in the office of the Union B. I. T. Chawls, Foras Road, to consider the Municipal Commissioner's letter with regard to the Enquiry held against Mr. Edwards, the Assistant Motor Foreman.

FINED FOR ADULTERATING BUTTER

Mr. J. K. Samant, owner of the ghee and butter shop at No. 692, DeLisle Road, was convicted and fined Rs. 5 on June 23, by the Municipal Court of Honorary Presidency Magistrates, Mazagaon, for selling butter adulterated to the extent of 35 per cent.

TROMBAY CONGRESS COMMITTEE

The President, Trombay Island Congress Committee, writes:—

The office of the above Congress Committee will be shifted from Jariwala Building to Mantri Building at Chembur Bazar Peth from 4th July, 1937. The opening ceremony of the new office will be performed by Mr. V. N. Purao, on Sunday the 4th July, at 8-30 a.m.

ARYA SAMAJ FREE SCHOOL

The Bombay Arya Samaj Secretary writes:—

The Mithabai Sanskrit Pathshala, Arya Samaj Mandir, Kakadwadi has been doing the work of Sanskrit education for the last forty years. The working hours are from 8-30 a.m. to 10-30 a.m. every day except Mondays. Matric course, Karmakand and other religious books are taught. Education is free. Those who want to take advantage of this Pathshala should write to the Secretary, Arya Samaj.

GUJARAT SOCIETY

An urgent meeting of the Committee of the Gujarat Society will be held today (Wednesday) at 6 p.m. (S.T.) in the Chamber of Sjt. Ambalal Parikh Advocate, at Jambulwadi, Kalbadevi Road, to support the candidature of Sjt. N. J. Shah and Sjt. Gunvant Kapadia at the ensuing election to the Senate of the Bombay University, and to consider the question of a City Civil Court in Bombay in the light of Government reply to the representation of the Bombay Corporation in that behalf.

POSTAL NOTICES

Registered and unregistered mails for Mauritius and Reunion per extra s. s. 'Indraporea' via Madura, Colombo and Batavia will be accepted at the General Post Office upto 3 and 6-30 p.m. respectively on Saturday the 3rd July, 1937.

Mails for Seychelles, British and Portuguese East Africa Tanganyika Territory, Zanzibar, Union of South Africa, Lourenzo, Marques, Rhodesia and Nyasaland per s.s. 'Kenya' will be accepted at the Bombay General Post Office as shown below:—

Parcel mail upto 5 p.m. on Tuesday the 6th July 1937.

Registered and unregistered correspondence upto 12 noon on Wednesday the 7th July 1937.

Registered and unregistered correspondence only for Mauritius, Reunion, and Madagascar Ports, will also be accepted up to 12 noon on Wednesday the 7th July 1937 for despatch by the above steamer.

ANGLO-AYURVEDIC HOSPITAL FOR BOMBAY

A correspondent writes:—

A maternity, nursing and Indian Massage Institute under the above name will be opened at Dina Building, Gowalia Tank on Saturday, the third proximo at 4-30 p.m. The organisers—Doctors P. G. Pillay, M. V. Raman and P. S. Nair—have secured the services of Mr. K. Natarajan, the doyen of Indian Journalism to preside and perform the opening of it. Besides providing facilities for treatment on both Ayurvedic and Allopathic lines, the sponsors have devoted special attention to popularise the well-known system of Malabar Massage which is so uniformly successful in the treatment of nervous and allied ailments. The main idea actuating these Ayurvedic enthusiasts is to harmoniously combine the two eminent systems of medicine in the service of suffering humanity.

AMUSEMENTS OF THE DAY

EXCELSIOR—"The Last of Mrs. Cheney" Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
REGAL—"Top of the Town" Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
CAPITOL—"Michael Strogoff" Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
ROXY—"Jagirdar" Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-45 p.m.
OPERA HOUSE—"Dhanwan" Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-30 p.m.
EMPIRE—"Crime Over London" Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
WEST END—"Love of a Slave" Daily as usual.
CENTRAL—"Tukaram" Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-45 p.m.
GLOBE—"Insaf" Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-45 p.m.
KRISHNA—"President" Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-45 p.m.
IMPERIAL—"Our Darling Daughters" Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-45 p.m.
PLAZA—"Atma Tarang" Daily at 5, 7-45 p.m. and 10-30 p.m.
MAJESTIC—"Pratibha" Daily at 5-30, 8 and 10-30 p.m.
KOHINOOR—"Pirate Treasure" Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-30 p.m.
MINERVA—Daily Change of Programme. Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-45 p.m.

Play Streets In City

SOCIAL WORKERS SUPPORT TO RESOLUTION BEFORE CORPORATION

The Jt. Hon. Secretary of the S. W. Society writes:—

The Managing Committee of Social Workers' Society passed the following resolution:

"The Managing Committee of the Social Workers' Society is in perfect consonance with the suggestion of Mr. Gordhandas G. Moorarjee that the creation of Play Streets be effected in the congested area of Bombay city, and the Committee is of opinion that this arrangement be continued till such time as it may be possible for Corporation to have open playgrounds in such localities."

Social Service League

TRAINING OF VOLUNTARY WORKERS

The Secretary of the League writes:—

The Social Service League, Bombay, has decided to hold a class for the training of voluntary social workers, commencing from Saturday the 3rd July, to Tuesday 28th September 1937. The class will be held in the Junior B. A. Class Hall (No. IH-10), Wilson College, Chowpatti. Lectures will be delivered on Tuesdays and Saturdays in the evenings and visits to Social Service Institutions will be paid on days on which there will be no lectures.

An examination will be held in the first week of October and certificates will be awarded to successful students.

Those desirous of joining the class are requested to register their names at the office of the Social Service League, Servants of India Society's Home, Sandhurst Road, Girgaum as early as possible. Students are requested to pay an entrance fee of Rs. 2.

DADAR CO-OPERATIVE INSTITUTE

(From A Correspondent)

The informal meeting of the representatives of member societies as well as individual members of this Institute was held at the registered office of the Institute, Damodar Hall, Bachubai Building, Parel, Bombay, on Friday last. Rao Bahadur S. K. Bole presided.

Suggestions regarding general matter of interest in the conduct of affairs of societies particularly operating in mill area and matters of general interest received from the representatives of different societies to be put before the Group Conference to be held by the end of July 1937, by way of resolutions, were discussed and a Committee of 6 members, from among the representatives present, to work in co-operation with the Managing Committee of the Institute, was appointed.

GOVT. RELIEF IN SCARCITY AREAS

Press Has Exaggerated Sufferings, At Times, Says Govt.

The Director of Information, Bombay, writes:—

Rain has now fallen in all the scarcity areas in the Presidency. In Sholapur it has not yet been enough for kharif sowing, but elsewhere some agricultural operations have begun and for the first time for many weeks there has been a slight fall in the number of workers employed on scarcity works. The number of people on gratuitous relief continues to rise as the result of house-to-house enquiries which have been made in all the affected talukas to find out all the halt, aged and incapacitated who may be in need of relief.

In the Panch Mahals the number of workers on relief works, which had previously risen to over 49,000 has come down to 35,000. Elsewhere the figures show little variation. The number on dole has reached 19,000 in the Panch Mahals, 3,100 in Ahmednagar, 1,400 in Poona, 2,100 in Sholapur and 6,300 in Bijapur.

THANKS TO SHERIFF'S FUND

There is no doubt that the appointment as special scarcity officers of an Assistant Collector in the Panch Mahals and of a Deputy Collector in Bijapur has speedily effected that liberalisation of scarcity operations which Government desire. The arrangements for the health of workers and their protection from heat and rain, the supply of drinking water, prompt payment of wages, and the like are generally satisfactory. Government have approved a scheme for the relief of weavers in Bijapur. Tagai is being given where necessary and sufficient works have been opened to absorb all those seeking work. A very large supply of grass has been made available at concession rates in the Panch Mahals and the cheap grain shops there have, thanks to the generous contributions of the Sheriff's Fund, given relief of inestimable value to the Bhils.

The Press has done useful service in calling attention to imperfections in the scarcity arrangements. But on occasion it has tended to exaggerate the sufferings of the affected areas.

Bombay Muslim Relief Committee's Work

(From A Correspondent)

A meeting of the general committee of the Bombay Muslim Relief Committee was held on Sunday last at the Islam Club, Bombay.

Mr. T. T. Barodawalla, Joint Honorary Secretary, reported to the meeting the work done by the defence, rescue and hospital committees. He reported that over 200 people were given free legal aid, persons who were wounded were seen in the hospitals and their wants looked to, persons who were detained were given postcards, soap, etc. free, persons, whose whereabouts could not be ascertained, were traced.

The resignation of Mr. A. Begmohamed of the post of the President was accepted and Mrs. Faiz B. Tyabji was unanimously elected President of the Bombay Muslim Relief Committee. A Working Committee of fifty was elected. Messrs. Habib and Company were appointed auditors.

ASSOCIATION OF INDIAN INDUSTRIES

The Association of Indian Industries have arranged a special meeting of the manufacturers interested in all sorts of Industries to-day (Wednesday) at 5-30 p.m. (S.T.) at their office at Jehangir Wadia Building, 51, Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay, to consider and have preliminary discussion on the proposed enquiry by Government of India into the effects of Japanese competition on small industries. All manufacturers and others interested in industries are cordially invited to attend the meeting and give the benefit of their views on the matter.

TALK OF THE SUBURBS

(BY A SUBURBAN MAN)

Police, I am glad to note are striving hard to lower the accident toll by introducing various regulations.

The latest of these, said one of the officers from the suburbs is a caution of vertical white lines to be painted at dangerous spots on suburban roads. These white lines are to help as a warning to motorists to keep to the left and avoid the danger of another accident. These lines, are to be used as a warning of nasty junctions, blind corners or a bottleneck and no car will be permitted to overtake, cut in cross over where these white lines exist. That's not all, said the officer. Great care is being taken to protect school-children. At every school entrance are to be drawn parallel white lines with letters "STOP". This is a warning that motorists have to stop and let schoolchildren pass.

I do hope these traffic regulations will help in substantially reducing the heavy accident toll.

KURLA'S DEPUTATION

Now that the Kurla Municipality is not to be merged in the Bombay Corporation every effort is being made by various associations of Kurla to restore the Municipality. On July 3, I understand a deputation headed by Mr. Pereira the President of the Democratic Front at Kurla is to wait on the Minister for Local Self-Government, Bombay, at Poona.

This deputation is to demand the restoration of the Kurla Municipality to the Kurla public after the expiration of the supercession on October 31, 1937.

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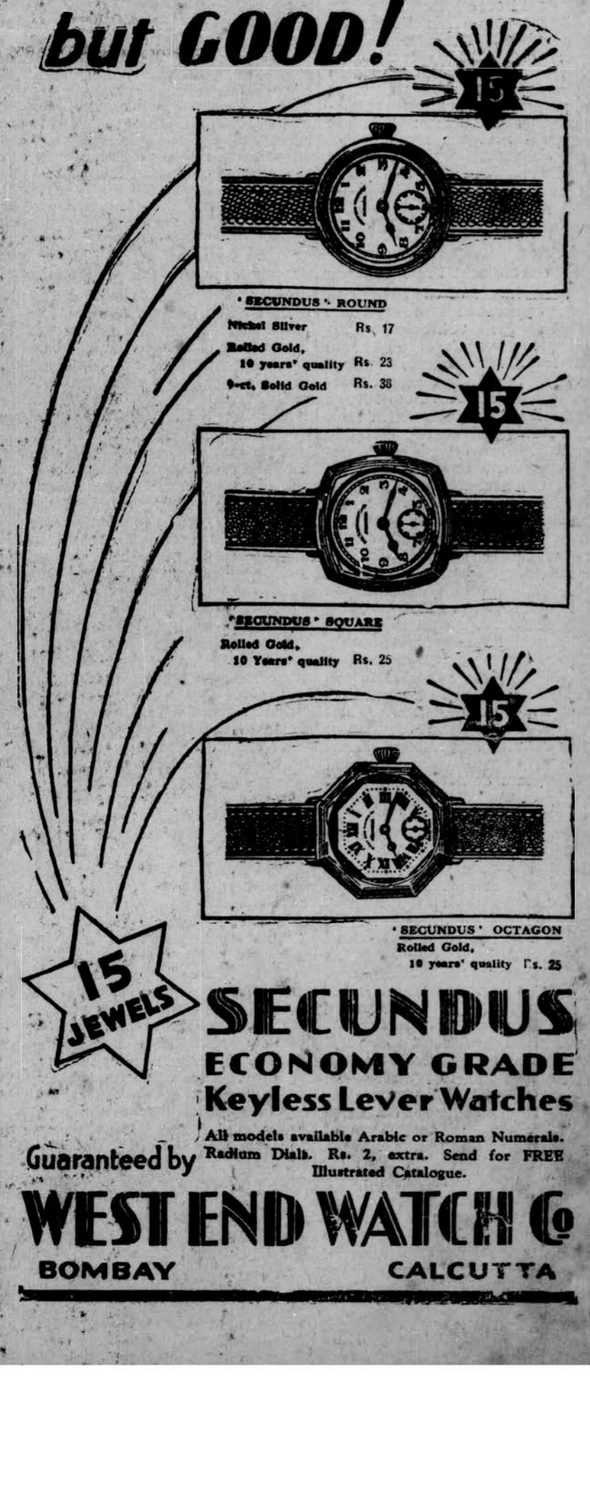

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MBAY: WEDNESDAY, JUNE 30, 1937

ROPEANISATION

The ... the Railway Inquiry ... deals with almost ... of Railway administra... but studiously avoids th... sion of one of the most ... portant means of ensuring ... ficiency and economy, name... Indianisation of the admini... on. Nay, it almost appears ... if the Committee entertained a ... found distrust of Indianisation ... every form. On the other ... it is so jealous of the intere... European officers that lest ... ment and other means of ... should affect them it de... as we have noted before, ... eady retrenchment has ... rried too far, particular... g higher officers and ... further general cut in sala... not be justified at present. ... fear also that the revised ... of pay fixed in 1933 for new ... nts may at any time preju... e interests of Europeans. ... ommittee says: "It is doubt... our view whatther the ne... ales will prove adequate fo... recruitment of Europeans ... the gazetted ranks. ... itment of such officers has ... hed during the bad time... and when the recruitment ... uropeans is reinstituted ... rmal volume, it will become ... ter of great importance ... ruits of the right qua... ld come forward in sufficient numbers under the new ... . If the authorities find difficulty in securing a first class type of European recruit, steps should be taken to ... the scales of pay offered." It is intriguing that the recruitment of Indians in preference to Europeans during the last few years is made out to be due to bad times, and going back on the policy is suggested as being inevitable when normal times come. And the Committee lightheartedly recommends increased salaries to attract Europeans. It is but too true that blood is thicker than water.

Racial Bias

The Committee sometimes carries its racial preference too far. It very conveniently assumes that supervisory staff when modern machinery is in use "must at present be of European extraction." It says further: "We are convinced that the numbers of European supervisory staff in the mechanical workshops have been reduced below the limit of prudence. . . Experienced European supervisors, are still required." And to justify this racial preference the Committee says: "In general the workmen in an Indian workshop have not the tradition and training of the European operative and they require careful supervision by experienced man who do not hesitate to take their coats off if necessary to show how work should be done. We were informed that a weakness in Indian supervisors up to the present has been their unwillingness to take action of this kind, presumably from fear of losing their status should they revert to any form of manual labour after they have received promotion to a supervisory position. "The Committee must have been so informed by European officers and accepted for obvious reasons the silly information also for obvious reasons. What better could be expected from a Committee which is utterly ignorant of Indian conditions and from which Indians have been scrupulously excluded?

Part Of A Plan

The Committee distrusts not only Indianisation in the internal administration of the Railways but also any control by Indian Government over the Department. With regard to the new Federal Railway Authority, despite the fact that it is little responsible to the Federal legislature, the Committee says that "the first and most obvious danger is that of political interference" and says further: "There is a similar danger to be apprehended from another quarter—that of the Government administrative machine itself. Whilst political interference is the high-road to bankruptcy, administrative interference leads to stagnation and is almost equally to be deplored." In fact the Committee wants to give a sort of "carte blanche" to the heads of the Railway Departments, who, it is of course assumed, will be Europeans. The Committee does not seem to care if this is rather unjust to the people of India who pay for the entire administration of the Railways. Speaking generally, the major recommendations of this packed all-British Committee are all part of a plan to Europeanise the control of Indian Railways.

The Elephanta Disaster

The Government Press Note on the preservation of the Elephanta Caves, published the other day in the "Chronicle", refers to what we are told is the "elaborate action" taken by the Archaeological Department. The Press Note reveals information less about action than about words which are certainly elaborate. What other public department in a civilized country, except the Archaeological Department of the Government of India, would have thought of the sixteenth and the seventeenth centuries for passing on the blame for the present disaster at Elephanta to the unsuspecting heads of the Portuguese! What other department would have cultivated the unperturbed philosophic calmness to inform the public frightened by the impending danger to the sculptures that "the age-long disaster cannot entirely be wiped out within a short span of 30 years or so?" This may be profound consolation to the Department. And, "thirty years or so" may be, according to the departmental astronomy, "a short span." But to those who have watched the rapid disintegration, within the short span of less than three years, of the world-renowned sculptures at Elephanta with something akin to panic, the leaden attitude is, to say the least, extremely alarming. This is more so in view of the contrasting rapidity of recent suggestions about museum schemes, which propose to give more power, more money and more responsibility to the Department. The Department is, as we have seen, not only in no hurry to preserve the sculptures, but the Press Note indicates that it is not in a mood also to realise the magnitude of the danger which threatens them. The damage to one of the most vital features of the "Trimurti," the crowning art treasure at Elephanta, is complacently described as only "the falling off of a few fragments." The tumbling down of a big rock at the wing of the main shrine caused the loss, the Press Note coolly observes, "of nothing beyond a later stone lion." Supposing a similarly supremely inane remark were to be made by them about the Elgin Marbles, the sculptures in the Louvre or the Vatican, or at Athens or at Pompeii, would that be the testimony to the competence of the authorities to handle them!

Now as to the facts mentioned in the Press Note, it is not true to say, as the Note does say, that the "Trimurti" damage was "soon made good." No attention was paid, no information offered for over a year and until there were registered in the Press in Bombay indignant protests against the Department's incredible, almost criminal, indifference. It is not true, moreover, to suggest, as the Note does, that the repairs to the other sculptures achieved departmentally were "generally approved." Quite the contrary. If the Committee appointed by the Government about a year ago, put its convenient seal of approval, it has little meaning and less value. For, the Committee included none competent to judge the merit or rather the demerit of the departmental repairs of the sculptures. If, however, these "experts" have discovered some profound reasons for the bad work by the Department, why is their report kept a mystery yet to the public? Why is it yet unpublished?

"The engineering and aesthetic propriety of every step will be," the Note observes, "duly considered." The Note mentions the co-operation of Government chemist, the engineers and architects of the Bombay Public Works Department. But significantly it makes no mention of the co-operation of any Bombay artist competent to manipulate the repairs to the damaged sculptures! Can it still be the notion of the Department that the chemist and the builders are the right and competent persons to manage and judge the repair of the world-renowned sculpture at Elephanta? It had, it knows, already had some unpleasant achievements of the chemist and other departmental "experts" to its credit. If it is still inclined to persist in the devastating illusion, as it seems to be, it is time that the legislature demanded a complete inquiry about the Department and initiated a plan entirely to overhaul it.

DOWN WITH FORCED LABOUR

States People's Duty To Agitate Against It

(By S. DAS)

No problem of Indian labour perhaps surpasses that of "Bethi" in its oppressiveness. The word refers to forced unpaid labour that is prevalent in most States in Orissa even to-day. Indeed, the institution is a hoary one. In former times there were only a few forms of "Bethi" which were well-recognized on all hands, and what with the old-world ideas about kings and the duties of the subjects to kings, they were presumably acquiesced in as well by the people. Thus, if the palace compond wall of a Raja needed repairs, people gladly undertook and did the work. Similarly, when the Jagannath cars had to be dragged, people came every year to do it. On the occasion of Dol Purnima, the Biman of the gods was carried to the accompaniment of music, mimic dancers, decorations, torches and other paraphernalia. On ceremonial occasions like marriages and deaths in the Raj family, supplies were gratuitously given as well as other forms of help. All these services and contributions were given by the people without pressure from above and very willingly. The Rajas, on the other hand, were more sympathetic and lenient to their subjects, kept taxation low and accorded them other facilities, besides, in the shape of free use of the forests and of unhampered and untaxed cultivation of certain crops in freshly cut jungle lands.

Heartless Exploitation

But, times have changed. People are now finding it increasingly difficult to make both ends meet. On the other hand, the Rajas are developing, thanks to contact with the West, new wants and new ways of satisfying them. It is perhaps permissible to presume that the old ideas of moral obligation in the Rajas towards their people are disappearing more rapidly than new ideas of constitutionalism are able to replace them. Anyway, it is a fact that during the last twenty years or so, the ingenuity of some of the Rajas has succeeded in inventing new forms of "Bethi" which are levied from their people who are driven to comply with all the kingly demands with no alternative or even with hope of one. In particular, motoring having become fashionable, long stretches of motor roads have been built during this period in many of the Orissa States with nothing but "Bethi" labour. The material for these roads has been supplied by the unfortunate subjects who have also had to feed themselves as best as they could by the roadside mostly in dense jungles. As irony would have it, they themselves with their bullock carts are subsequently denied the use of the very roads thus built by them with the sweat of their brow. Next, public buildings like schools, officers' camps are also thus built with "Bethi" labour inspite of, for instance, education cesses that are regularly and pompously collected. Again, 'shikar' beats and 'kheda' operations that are, by the way, becoming more frequent everyday also demand "Bethi" labour in tens of thousands. Unfortunately these last clash with the paddy harvesting season, while road-metalling and repair work come in a rush during the cultivating season. And the inconvenience caused thereby to the peasants can be well realized.

Innumerable Instances

Specific instances of huge works carried out with "Bethi" labour can also be given, though the names of the States may not be mentioned for obvious reasons. Thus, in one State a palace worth in all about two lakhs was constructed with free labour and with free materials including laterite stone supplied by the hard-worked peasants. Another State planted mango orchards in large numbers for the benefit of the Raj family, while all the preliminary work for them was done by "Bethi" labour including the works of clearing of jungles, the digging of pits, manuring the soil, planting the grafts, erecting individual enclosures, and watching and watering them till they began to bear fruit. In still another State, the farm lands of the Raj family are prepared, cultivated, manured, watched, harvested and garnered—all with "Bethi" labour. To give another instance and the last one, for, these can be multiplied 'ad nauseam,' when elephants are caught, all the things necessary for their up-keep till they are disposed of, like straw, paddy, banyan branches and jute for ropes have also to be supplied

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Our Moscow Letter

By ABDUL AZIZ AZAD

Remarkable Cultural Progress Of Uzbeks Under Soviet Regime

MOSCOW, June 1.

The reports of the bombardment of the Spanish port, Almeria, by German warships and the other aggressive measures adopted by Germany and Italy against the lawful Spanish government has created great indignation here both in official circles and in general public opinion. The Soviet Press calls the action against the Spanish Republicans a new provocation.

"Pravda," the leading newspaper of Russia, representing the views of Communist Party circles, commenting on the latest German aggressive measures against Spain, gives the following reasons for the "New provocation of the interventionists." "In the first place", writes "Pravda", is their own weakness and the military failures which they have met recently. The defeat at Guadaljara had its effect on Mussolini. Discontent among the Italian soldiers has increased. Military discipline has decreased markedly among the soldiers of the interventionists just as the prolonged character of the war has caused other great set-backs for the interventionists."

Menace To Peace

"On the other hand," continues the article, "the inner strengthening of the Republicans of Spain, the re-organisation of their government, was a signal of new difficulties for the aggressors. The latest measures adopted by the new Spanish Government, that have already consolidated their strength both on the front lines and in the rear, and the new tide of enthusiasm that has occurred among the people of Spain, indicate that the new stage of German-Italian intervention will be far more difficult than heretofore.

The provocation of the Italo-German interventionists aims to change rapidly their unfavourable situation, and to bring pressure on the wavering element in the Non-Intervention Committee. Above all, the latest aggressive steps of the German government have, as their aim, to put before London an accomplished fact."

Concluding the article, "Pravda" writes: "The continuation of a vacillating policy, thus encouraging the agressors, will be fatal. The provocations of the Italo-German interventionists must be given a serious and decisive check.

"Izvestia," the official newspaper of the U.S.S.R., writes under the caption, "Playing with Fire" "There is no doubt that the tactics of Rome and Berlin now, as always before, are full of the spirit of aggression. They speculate on the differences between the opponents of the aggression. They are sure that among these opponents of aggression, people will be found who will ask for a policy of forbearance and concessions to the aggressors. The supporters of the policy of reconciliation will try to prove that in case another policy than that of concessions is adopted, the aggressor will become more aggressive and will do greater harm than before. But experience has shown that every concession made to an aggressor, not only does not decrease but on the contrary, increases his appetite.

"The great danger at present, consists in the fact that these adherents of the policy of concessions are mobilizing their forces in order to calm and satisfy the aggressor at the expense of the Spanish people and their independence.

"The bombardment of Almeria by German warships, and Germany and Italy's quitting the London Committee of Non-intervention, present a dangerous game with fire and constitute an undoubted danger to European peace."

Uzbek Art And Theatre

The Uzbeks, once the most backward subjects of the Russian Empire, now rank among the people of the Soviet Union as a nation well advanced, considerably cultured, and fairly literate. When some sixteen years ago I visited these Uzbeks, they appeared to me to be the most wretched of human beings, resembling in almost every way our neighbour Pathans, with one fundamental difference. The Pathans are a warrior nation, but the Uzbeks lacked the fighting spirit and had been reduced by their rulers to the condition and character of the sheep they reared.

There was complete illiteracy, and an absence of the most common and simple signs of modern or even ancient culture and civilization. The practice of polygamy pardah, and the buying and selling of daughters, were common among these remnants of the great Mongol conquerors of Central Asia. Art, the theatre, music and like things were conspicuous by their absence. There were only a few theatres in Turkistan, mostly in Tashkent, almost all of them were run by Russian colonists, staging Russian plays, in the Russian language, portraying Russian life, manners, habits, and customs, and playing Russian music. None of these things were understood by the native Uzbeks, nor were these downtrodden subjects allowed to attend the theatres.

To-day one is struck by the tremendous work completed and the great success achieved by the Uzbek people. Within the course of the last few years ... other nationalities of the Soviet Union have made such enormous progress on the road of literacy, culture and civilisation as is hard to believe.

Shirin And Farhad

Uzbekistan has not only its dramatic theatre now, but also a philharmonic society, an opera theatre, a ballet school, schools for chorus singers and is studying folk dances and folklore.

During the last ten days of May, the Uzbeks displayed their Art festival in Moscow before a public which is accustomed to see and hear only the best of art productions and not cheap or unskilled ones. However, it was a pleasant surprise, not only for the public, but also for the veteran experts of art, to see that the Uzbek theatre had made such a tremendous advance in the field of the creation of their national opera, music, symphony, folk-dance, folklore, chorus and all that is included in

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FRANKLY SPEAKING

NEW ITALO-GERMAN MOVE

Mr. Neville Chamberlain's most statesmanlike pro-Fascist pronouncement in the House of Commons is now bearing realistic fruit Germany and Italy have suddenly changed their attitude towards the suggestion that France and Britain should fill the gap left by the withdrawal of Italian and German ships from patrol work. The fact that this sudden change is also simultaneous means quite obviously that it has been executed in conscious collaboration. Nor is it surprising, if the very patent fact is not forgotten that the Fascists are desperately trying for a smashing Franco victory in Spain. Herr Hitler—he has, by the way, blurted out Nazi economic ambitions in Spain—along with Italy, expects a "speedy victory for General Franco". This victory is possible if the circumstances which contributed directly to the fall of Bilbao continue to be operative: if, in other words, Nazi-Fascist help to the insurgents remains continuous. But this is rendered difficult, if not impossible, in the absence of the Italo-German Navy to help in sinking Spanish boats and in smuggling in all that Franco needs decisively to follow up his recent successes.

GRAVE SITUATION

That is the real explanation of the new Italo-German move and Signor Gayda's "categorical statement" that "Italy and Germany cannot accept a monopoly of the naval control of the coast of Spain being in the hands of Britain and France". Both Italy and Germany are determined. British "realists" may swallow their honour together with realities, actual and imminent. But it is not an idle threat that the "Tribuna" has given in connection with the military situation in Spain, namely "that the next few days will see new and powerful developments". Writing less than a fortnight ago in the "Popolo d'Italia" on the "Fascist dead" at Guadalajara, Signor Mussolini defiantly announced: "When, where and how they will be avenged cannot be stated to-day; but, it is certain—certain as the dogma of faith—they well be avenged". Evidently the place is Spain and the time is now. But do British Imperial "realists" realise what the conquest of Spain by rebels and her politico-economic colonisation by the Fascist International means?

THE GUIANA "INDIAN OPINION"

Those of us who take interest in the condition of our brethren overseas have noticed a new awakening among them during the last few years. There is a quickening of political consciousness and a keen desire for progress, which are most encouraging. This new spirit is strikingly seen in the new journals and periodicals conducted by our nationals abroad. There has long been a prospering Indian press in Africa, thanks to Mahatma Gandhi's stay in Africa during the first decade of this century. Perhaps the most remote and isolated colony is that of the British Guiana Indians in South America. We have already noticed in these columns "The Indian Opinion", which was started a year ago as the official organ of the British Guiana East Indian Association. We find from the May number that the journal has become deservedly popular and during the last year has improved vastly. In the May number appear, besides the local articles, a good many contributions from India including a long extract from the presidential address of Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru at the Faizpur Congress. This desire to keep themselves in intimate touch with their motherland is by itself a revealing index of the new awakening among Indians abroad. We wish the "Indian Opinion" a long career of service and prosperity.

"PROBLEM OF THE FRONTIER"

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru's statement on "The Problem of The Frontier" is doubly welcome. It is both an authoritative exposition of the policy of the Congress and a remarkably analytical study of the issues involved in the "Forward Policy", its true nature and the objectives behind it. He has at the same time faced the question of kidnapping outrages and his advice deserves the respect and attention not only of Hindus, who are justifiably agitated over the outrages, but also of the Muslim neighbours and the Frontier tribesmen themselves. They all ought to realise that they allow themselves to be used as innocent pawns in the game of Imperialism—a game which has nothing to do with their own interests.

THE REAL MENACE

We cannot believe that the Bengal Premier is serious enough about the release of detenus. His latest excuse for his indifference in the matter is that "there are weighty reasons which made it impossible for the Government generally to release the detenus without causing disturbance of public peace and serious breach of law and order." The parrot-like repetition of the excuses of the old Government betrays the Premier's helplessness against the police or his lack of discernment. He should at least state candidly what those blessed weighty reasons are and let the public see for themselves if there is any sense in them. Mere scare cries will no longer deceive any section of the public. Moreover, the continuance of repression and the feelings of despair and desperation it may create in the minds of many constitute the greatest menace to public peace and tranquility.

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WITHOUT COMMENT

MOSCOW, June 28.

The execution of 37 "Trotskyist and pro-Japanese spies, wreckers and diversionists", who are alleged to have operated on the Soviet Far Eastern Railways, is reported from Khabarovsk.—Reuter.

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In a Press statement Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru says that on April 24, he wrote to the Prime Minister of Bikaner about certain complaints by the State subjects, but "I have had no letter, nor even an acknowledgment".

We can't blame the Prime Minister. What is Jawaharlal Nehru, after all? A mere Leader of the Indian Nation.

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The Indo-British talks in London are well under way, according to advices received in Simla.

We are delighted to say that we never imagined any other course for them.

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But why should Sir Md. Zafrullah keep himself "in constant touch with the Government of India?" Or, why for that matter, should Sir Md. Zafrullah be at all inflicted on these talks? Why not leave the whole thing to the two Stanleys of Lancashire—we mean Mr. Oliver Stanley, the British President of the Board of Trade, and Lord Stanley, the Under Secretary for India?

But we suppose outward formality, however complicated and expensive, is nevertheless unavoidably necessary.

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India Put On Road To Self-Government

--Lord Dufferin and Awa.

What his awfully youthful lordship probably meant was "Put on the spot"

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Simla official circles, it is reported, regard the Wedgwood report as "Sure and Sober".

It certainly is both—for Simla official circles, etc.

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The Government of India are considering the question of setting up a Central Statistical Organisation in New Delhi.

We must insist that Britain must kindly supply the staff of Experts.

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Speaking at the Corporation meeting, Mr. Nariman declared that if Lord Baden-Powell was a real scout, he would have admitted his mistake.

Mr. Nariman ought to remember, though, that the Noble Lord is something more than a real scout. He is a "realist" imperialist.

And, any way, Lord Baden-Powell is an old man of over 80; and that must choke off all criticism.

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And B.-P. Denied

We, however, rather like Sir Jamshetji Jeejeebhoy's cable: "Tense situation. Withdrawal or denial apparent solution."

In fact we congratulate the enthusiastic Boy Scout on the model wording of it.

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LONDON, June 27.

Sir Tej Bahadur Sapru has left for India, sailing from Marseilles by s.s. "Narkunda".

—Reuter.

Never mind. We are prepared to grin and bear.

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Goering has declared that "the reason why Germany was rearming in such gigantic proportions was to secure full equality of rights (sic) and not to attack or conquer other nations, but to protect her exposed frontier."

We have no doubt about it. For, war is not possible without everybody pretending and saying so during the period of dynamic stalement.

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Herr Hitler welcoming the rebel successes over the Basques has announced that Franco's victory in Spain would enable him to work the mines there.

We await with keen interests the reaction of British "realists".

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SIR SRINIVAS SARMA CHANGES MIND

—Headline.

Changes, or barters?, asks the Junior Colleague, not knowing that the former referred to the latter.

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Hubby: 'Well, my dear, I've decided to agree with you.'

Wife: 'That's no use, I've changed my mind.'

Peace Of Europe In Dange

Italy's Intransigence

Gayda Criticises "British Monopoly Of Control"

Press Again Launches Campaign Against Britain: "Powerful Developments" In Next Few Days

ROME, June 28.

Importance is attached here to the categorical statement of Signor Gayda that Italy and Germany cannot accept a monopoly of the naval control of the coast of Spain being in the hands of Britain and France.

Gayda's statement is believed to reflect the official view and show that opinion has veered to pessimism regarding the prospects of an agreement.

Gayda stated that the French and British monopoly of control would be a new and conspicuous contribution to admitted monopoly of Communism in Spain just when Reds resistance was trembling in balance

The foregoing coupled with the approval of Hitler's speech forecasts speedy victory of Franco and suggests that Italy will forthwith adopt a stiffer attitude.

Violent anti-British attacks are again appearing in the press and the "Tribuna" in an article dealing with military situation in Spain remarks that we are not revealing a secret when we say that the next few days will see new powerful developments.—Reuter.

Germany And Italy May Withdraw From Non-Intervention Committee

BERLIN, June 29.

Von Ribbentrop returned to London in the afternoon. It is understood that he has definite instructions in regard to Germany's attitude in the Non-Intervention Committee on the Anglo-French proposal to fill the gap in Spanish control with British and French ships.

Circles close to Wilhelmstrasse envisage difficulties in the Committee as Germany and Italy are expected to voice their doubts of apprehensions.

According to these circles if unanimous decision is not reached by Committee nothing will remain but resort to agreements formerly concluded such as agreement of December 1936 providing for individual powers abstaining from intervention.

It is pointed out that the entire control system then will be nebulous and fundamental effective solution will have to be discussed de novo.—Reuter.

ANGLO-FRENCH CONTROL SCHEME

Nazis And Fascists To Resign Posts Of Observing Officers

LONDON, June 29.

At the Non-Intervention Committee meeting it was noteworthy that Herr von Ribbentrop and Sgr. Grandi arrived together.

The Committee adjourned till Friday.

In the meanwhile the Anglo-French Control Scheme will be submitted to the various Governments.

Despite the German and Italian representatives' objections to the scheme they expressed willingness to submit it to their Governments but will advise their nationals to resign their appointments as observing officers under the observation scheme.—Reuter.

REBELS ADVANCE IN BILBAO SECTOR

SALAMANCA, June 29.

Insurgents are continuing their advance in the Bilbao sector, crossing rivers with water reaching upto armpits and progressing in the direction of Valmaseda, states an insurgent communique.

"The only results of enemy's suicidal counter-attacks being loss of hundred men, a number of whom fell to our hands".—Reuter.

FOREIGN 'PLANES IN SPAIN

Eden Heckled In Commons

RUGBY, June 28.

Although the Foreign Secretary, Mr. Eden in the Commons deferred until to-morrow a statement regarding the proposals for filling the gap in the naval patrol scheme caused by the withdrawal from the work of observation by Germany and Italy it is generally expected that one of the proposals which it is contemplated will come before the meeting of the non-intervention Committee to-morrow morning will be to assign the task to British and French navies.

Mr. Eden indicated that the problem of filling this gap has been subject of the closest consultation between the British, French and other Governments. In all informed quarters in London the possibility of the desire being expressed by representatives of powers at to-morrow's meeting to refer the proposals submitted to the Non-Intervention Committee to their Governments is discussed. This course of action should be thoroughly understood, but at the same time it is hoped the question of filling the gap in the control scheme, which is regarded as one of some urgency and will not long be left open and that expressions of views of these Governments will be available to the Committee in London before the end of the week.

Several other questions addressed to the Foreign Secretary in the Commons had reference to the Spanish conflict.

WHAT ABOUT 'PLANES FOR SPAIN

He said he was not in a position to make any statement regarding the attitude of various Governments towards the principle of the scheme for withdrawal of foreign nationals now serving in Spain, which was also on the agenda for to-morrow's meeting of the Non-Intervention Committee. He understood that only four Governments so far had communicated their observations on the matter to the Non-Intervention Committee. The British Government had informed the Committee that they were willing to agree in principle to accept the plan with any modifications, which the Committee might adopt.

When asked whether any plans were before the Committee for preventing the passage for foreign military aircraft to Spain, Mr. Eden replied this was an extremely complex problem and had been under constant examination. No solution had yet been found, but the Government were fully alive to its importance and would do everything in their power to secure a solution.

FASCIST PROPAGANDA AGAINST BRITAIN

Ambassador At Rome Has Made Protest, Says Eden

RUGBY, June 28.

Information was sought at question time in Commons regarding anti-British Italian propaganda in Arabia and Palestine and Mr. Eden was asked if he proposed to protest to the Italian Government against its continuance. He replied that the British Government took strong objection to this anti-British propaganda and the Ambassador in Rome had on his instructions more than once made representations to the Italian Government on the subject, the last occasion being about six weeks ago.

Mr. Eden himself had spoken on the matter to the Italian Ambassador in London a fortnight ago.

He was glad to inform the House that the tone of the broadcasts from Bari had lately shown an improvement. Mr. Eden replied in the affirmative to a further question whether any undertaking had been given by the Italian Government and whether it was not against international custom that propaganda should be indulged in by a country with which we were at peace.—B. O. W.

BOMBAY ASSEMBLY TO MEET ON JULY 19

POONA, June 29.

It is reliably understood that the Bombay Legislative Assembly will meet on July 19.

An official announcement to this effect is expected shortly.—A.P.

4 CRORES FOR ROLLING STOCK

Railways Standing Finance Committee Approves Expenditu

CALCUTTA, June 29.

Proposals for the expenditure of Rs. 4,05,38,000 on new rolling stock were considered and approved today at a meeting of the Standing Finance Committee on Railways, Mr. B. M. Staig, Financial Commissioner, presiding.

The amount was divided as follows with four main categories:

Locomotives and boilers: Rs. 87,88,000;

Carriages Rs. 1,38,00,000;

Wagons Rs. 1,52,80,000.

Requests for rail cars from three administrations are before the Committee, involving a total expenditure of Rs. 26,80,000.

The North-Western Railway leads the list with a demand for twelve broad gauge rail cars estimated to cost Rs 3,00,000.

A request for Eastern Bengal Railway for eight broad gauge and four narrow gauge rail cars, estimated to cost Rs. 10,80,000 was held over for further consideration.—A.P.

Mediation Board Suspended

U. S. Steel Strike Peace Move Fails

WASHINGTON, June 29.

Miss Frances Perkins, Secretary of Labour, said that the Government's efforts to mediate in the steel strike had collapsed.

After conferring with Chairman Taft, Miss Perkins said that the work of Mediation Board was suspended.

She presumed that a report would be published in due course.

Miss Perkins added that the Board had made a compromise proposal to which the steel companies would not accede and there was nothing more the Board could recommend.—Reuter.

FIRST TEST MATCH ENDS IN DRAW

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in their second innings.

NEW ZEALAND (1st Innings).

Vivian, l-b-w, Gover	5
Kerr, c Ames, b Robins	31
Hadlee, c Verity, b Voce	34
Page, c Paynter, b Robins	9
Wallace, l-b-w, Parks	52
Donnelly, l-b-w, Parks	0
Tindill, c Hammond, b Robins	8
Moloney, c and b Verity	64
Roberts, not out	66
Dunning, b Gover	0
Cowie, l-b-w, b Voce	2
Extras	24
Total	295

BOWLING ANALYSIS:—

	O	M	R	W.
Gover	22	8	49	2
Voce	24.2	2	74	2
Hammond	6	2	12	0
Robins	21	5	58	3
Verity	25	13	48	1
Parks	11	3	26	2
Hutton	2	1	4	0

Hammond who waterknee will not bowl for remainder match.

ENGLAND (2nd Innings).

Parks, b Cowie	7
Hutton, c Vivian, b Cowie	1
Hardstaff, c Tindill b Roberts	64
Barnett (not out)	83
Ames, c substitute, b Roberts	20
Robins (not out)	38
Extras	13
Total for 4 wickets (declared)	226

BOWLING ANALYSIS:—

	O	M	R	W.
Cowie	15	2	49	2
Roberts	14	3	73	2
Dummings	9	0	60	0
Vivian	4	0	31	0

NEW ZEALAND: (2nd Innings).

Vivian, c Verity, b Voce	11
Hadlee, b Voce	3
Moloney, run out	0
Page, c and b Robins	13
Wallace, l-b-w, b Parks	56
Roberts, c Substitute, b Gover	17
Kerr (not out)	38
Tindill, l-b-w, b Verity	3
Donnelly, c Ames, b Voce,	21
Extras	13
Total (for 8 wickets)	175

BOWLING ANALYSIS:—

Gover 1 for 27; Voce 41 for 3; Parks 10 for 1; Robins 51 for 1; Verity 33 for 1.

37 Trotskyists Executed

MOSCOW, June 29. The execution of 37 "Trotskyist pro-Japanese spies, wreckers and diversionists" who are alleged to have operated on Soviet Far Eastern Railways is reported from Khabarovsk.—Reuter.

WIMBLEDON TENNIS

Surprise Defeat Of Lizana By Mathieu In Women's Singles

LONDON, June 29

For the Wimbledon Quarter Finals dull weather prevailed and later rain interfered with play. Mathieu surprisingly eliminated Lizana (6—3), (6—3). Nothing went right for the Chilean whereas Mathieu played her usual steady game. The Chilean was brokenhearted

Jedzre Jowska beat Scriven (6—1), (6—2). Marble beat Sperling (7—5), (2—6), (6—3).—Reuter's Special.

EXCHANGE EQUALISATION FUND TO BE INCREASED

LONDON, June 28.

The House of Commons agreed to the motion to increase the Exchange Equalisation fund.

Sir John Simon concluding the debate said he had good reason to believe the line he was asking the House to take was exactly in accordance with the policy of the United States. That itself was very hopeful fuure.

He declined to agree that accumulation of gold debts by London and New York would always continue.

He hoped that wisdom of the world would encourage freer flow of trade so that areas which now sent gold to London and New York will want the proportion of it themselves. That is future for which we ought to work.

MARRIAGE BILL IN LORDS

The House of Lords adopted the second reading of the Marriage Bill without division.—Reuter.

"FINANCIAL TIMES" ON RLY. REPORT

LONDON, June 29.

The "Financial Times" states that the Railway Report has been received with guarded approval in Indian rail circles in London

It adds, it comes as no surprise that control of lines by private companies is preferred to control by State. The latter suffer because of the very small number of Europeans usually employed.

Beyond that and the bureaucratic methods of State administration it is believed there is little reason why the efficiency of State lines should not be increased.—Reuter

EARHART FOR NEW GUINEA

PORT DARWIN, June 29.

Miss Earhart took off last night for Lae (New Guinea) where she hopes to arrive after eight hours.—Reuter.

(LATER).—A Sydney message says Miss Earhart landed at Lae (New Guinea) at 05-00 G. M. T.

CHEAPER AIRMAIL

LONDON, June 29.

The first stage of the Empire Cheap Airmail Service, namely 3 1/2d. for half an ounce, opened to-day when the Imperial Airways flyingboat "Centurion" left Southampton for Central and South Africa with 110,000 letters including one from the King to the Governor-General of the Union.

There will be two ordinary mails weekly to South Africa henceforth instead of one.—Reuter.

6000 MEN TO BE IDLE

JOHNSTOWN (Pennsylvania) June 29.

The Bethlehem Steel Company state that 6,000 employees of the huge Cambria Steel Works will be rendered idle pending repairs to two water mains wrecked early this morning by dynamite explosions which have seriously hampered activities. The works were only reopened a week ago on the lifting of martial law.—Reuter.

WANTED MAN CAPTURED

Tochi Scout's Return To Mirali Without Incident

SIMLA, June 29.

On June 27, Tochi Scouts surrounded the village near Razmak and captured without firing a shot a tribesman, who was wanted in connection with several offences in the area, including the murder of Hindus.

The night of 27/28 passed quietly in all areas.

Yesterday morning a watering party of the 2/14th Punjabis were fired on in the area of the Shinki defile between Bannu and Mirali by a gang of hostile tribesmen, who were driven off. One Indian other rank was wounded.

Six platoons of Tochi Scouts, conveyed in lorries with an escort of light tanks visited Spinwam and returned to Mirali without incident.

The Third Indian Infantry Brigade carried out reconnaissance in a south-easterly direction from Ghariom Camp without opposition.

The South Waziristan Wana Brigade moved from Tiarza to Torwam without opposition.—A. P.

GERMAN SEARCH PARTY AT KARACHI

Bhulabhai Desai Leaves For Bombay

KARACHI, June 28.

The German search expedition comprising Dr. Berchtold and Baur arrived this afternoon by the Dutch 'plane and also Mr. Bhulabhai Desai.

The search expedition is leaving for Lahore by the Dutch mail whence they are likely to fly to the scene of disaster, while Mr. Bhulabhai Desai continued his journey to Jodhpur whence he is proceeding to Bombay by train.

Mr. Desai declined to make any statement on the present political situation.—A.P.

Search Expedition In Lahore

LAHORE, June 29.

Herr Baur and Dr. Berchtold, members of the German Nanga Parbat Search Expedition, arrived here this evening from Karachi. They alighted at the Cantonment station and drove to the R. A. F. Officers' Mess where they will be staying as guests during their brief stay here, pending their flight in an R. A. F. Plane to the field of their search.—A. P.

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comparable to that of the Sergeant-at-Arms of the House of Commons.

CHAIR INDICTED

The manner in which the Opposition has been treated, the varying and contradictory rulings given by the Chair, the tone and manner of the Speaker adopted towards the Opposition, the quick change of attitude on the part of the Speaker on occasions when the Premier has intervened, reasonable motions ruled out arbitrarily,—all these issues and others have brought the patience of the Opposition to a breaking point. We did not realise that the Speaker would add to this by the attitude adopted by him towards the Opposition and the humble manner in which he accepted the orders of the Government in the appointment of a Police Officer in service as Marshal and allowed himself to attribute the most serious powers and authority to the said Police Officer which powers are unwarranted by law. Such action is an insult to every member of the House whose rights, privileges and dignity are menaced in this most glaring and objectionable fashion.

NO OPTION, BUT TO WALK-OUT

We had no other option but to register our protest most emphatically by withdrawing from the Chamber. Since issuing this statement we have learnt that the Premier has made a statement in the floor of the House definitely stating that not the Government but the Speaker asked for the appointment of said policeman. This is a most serious incident, since the Speaker originally denied any hand in the appointment. We leave the public to judge the manner in which this business has been conducted."

"We Can't Give Away Single Point

Lord Dufferin Talks Of Britain's Resp... To Minorities And Others

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Presiding over the East India Association at wh... was read on behalf of Sir Phiroze Sethna dealing with ... titutional situation in India, the Marquess of Duffe... out that England had had a constitution so long that th... were inclined to over-disregard the outward form, becau... the inward meaning for granted.

He declared that the spirit of the Indian constitution had no relation to the fears of Mr. Gandhi, and his followers. The India act gave India and the Congress everything that a reasonable party could desire for full self-government. No good would be done by attempting to gloss over words of the act.

He believed that it was far better to tell India that we have given the constitution in the honest and firm belief that there was nothing in it to prevent her going as far on the road to self-Government as she legitimately desires and having done that we have gone as fa...

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Opposition Wal... In Punjab As... ly

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nationalist professions, the Ministry was available to-day, when the Education Minister said that there was no qualified Indian available for professorship of history in the Government College, Lahore. He tried to fix the blame on the previous Government saying: "I am not in a position to sit in judgment over the previous Government." But when asked whether he would advertise again as the appointment had not yet been made, he declined to do so. All that he was prepared to say was that the High Commissioner's recommendation about candidates available in England was being considered and selection would be made in the best interests of the students and the institution.

OPPOSITION INDICTS SPEAKER

No Option But To Walk Out

SIMLA, June 29.

Forty-one members of the Punjab Assembly who walked out today, have issued the following statement:—

"Without any previous warning or intimation this morning we found a gentleman in mufti seated to the left of the Speaker. On enquiry by us as to who this gentleman was, the Speaker stated that he should apologise to the House for not having informed the House earlier that the gentleman was the Marshal and that the gentleman had been appointed by the Government and that he himself had no hand in the appointment. Further the Speaker stated that the gentleman was appointed Marshal of the House apparently overnight and that his duties were comparable to those of the Sergeant-at-Arms in the House of Commons.

ASKED TO LEAVE

Thereupon the Speaker was informed that it appeared that apart from the Speaker not having a hand in this appointment no member or leader of the Opposition had been consulted. The Speaker said that his duties had not been defined. The Speaker was requested to name the person concerned as a stranger whereupon the Speaker ordered him to remove himself to the Viceroy's Box which he did.

SPEAKER CHANGES MIND

While certain Opposition Leaders were consulting among themselves in the lobby regarding this appointment of which the incum-

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On Doc... Diwan Chamanlal ... Kulchand Narang ret... Chamber they were amazed to find the Police Officer again on the floor of the House. Diwan Chamanlal raised a point of order regarding this matter, but the Speaker would not allow him to proceed. Diwan Chamanlal rose to announce that since the Police officer remained on the floor of the House the Opposition would register its protest by not participating in the proceedings; but the Speaker in common courtesy, instead of allowing Diwan Chamanlal to make this statement, took the most amazing and unprecedented step of asking the Honourable Member to withdraw. Nor did the Speaker allow the Leader of the Opposition to suggest, as he wanted to, that the Police Officer should not sit on the floor of the House for the next few minutes till the luncheon interval so that he could discuss the matter with the Speaker. The Opposition walked out with Diwan Chamanlal led by the Leader of the Opposition.

HOUSE FLOUTED

We desire to register our protest in no mistakeable terms against the flouting of the rights and privileges of the members and the appointment of a policeman as guard over the members who obviously could not act as Marshal, being still in service. In the Imperial Assembly the Marshal who is appointed by the Governor-General on the recommendation of the President of the Assembly, is a retired official. His duties are purely formal, announcing the entry of the Speaker, carrying messages for the Speaker and carrying messages from the Assembly to the Council of State. But the duties of the Sergeant-at-Arms are statutory and most serious,—removal of members and removal and arrest of strangers. No such statutory provision exists in Rules and Standing Orders of the Punjab Assembly or its procedure or under any authority that we are aware of. And yet we are told that the position of the Police Officer in question will be

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Harwood League

Narrowest Victory For Bombay City

TRANSIT SECTION DEFEATED BY 1 GOAL

BOMBAY, June 29.

Though the Bombay City, managed to defeat the Transit Section by the only goal of the evening, in the first division of the Harwood League Football, at the Cooperage on Tuesday, they did not give a display in keeping with their reputation, and the high position they hold in the League tables.

UNLUCKY FORWARDS FOR TRANSIT SECTION

The Transit Section, who dominated the exchanges in the first half and for some time in the succeeding period also, were unlucky in not being able to score, though their forwards were to be blamed for their lack in shooting. They got a number of opportunities but failed to draw home the advantage. Their Schepers, who led the City defence, made no mistake when he got a chance in the beginning of the second half and scored the all important goal which earned his side the victory.

GOOD DISPLAY BY DEFENDERS

Section's defenders deserve a word of praise for their sound display. Their backs, half-backs and particularly their goal-keeper held out till the interval and did not get slackened even after the Winners had established their lead with the result that the Bombay City won by the only goal.

The Transit Section forwards broke away immediately after the kick-off and beat Cohen, City's goal-keeper, in difficulties, the latter, one after the other, saving thrice to clear in his usual free style.

MID-FIELD PLAY

Mid-field play was the order for about 10 minutes. During this period both set of forwards could not make any impression on the rival defences. Following this the military side was pressing their opponents. Britton, their left-wing, after having a good run down the touch-line, made an opening for Orange who mis-kicked. The Transit Section gave a much improved display this evening. They, undoubtedly, had the better of the play in the first half, against their formidable opponents, the Bombay City, who are the second best team in the League tables.

GOOD ADDITION

Sweeney, of the Bombay Customs, who was playing at outside-right for the City to-day was a good addition to their team. He was conspicuous with his solo runs on the right flank and on one occasion sent an accurate shot, which of course the Section's goal-keeper saved.

The interval arrived with the score-board yet blank.

LEAD AFTER RE-START

On the resumption the City forwards got going and raided their opponent's goal. They soon succeeded in establishing a lead when following a good movement, Schepers, their centre-forward, found the net from a near range in the third minute after the re-start.

Except for a few occasional breakaways on both the sides, the play was again confined to mid-field for full 20 minutes. The defenders, obviously, had the upper hand and hardly gave any scope to the forwards. Wilkins in trying to get past the opposing back. Burns, collided against him and evidently they had an exchange of hot words. The referee gave a warning to both of them.

COHEN'S OUTSTANDING SAVE

A few minutes before the end, the Section forwards made a bold bid for the goal and but for the great save brought off by Cohen, they should have levelled the score.

THE RESULT:

BOMBAY CITY	1 goal
TRANSIT SECTION	Nil.

THE TEAMS:

BOMBAY CITY: Cohen; Almeida and Leonard; Davis, Pope and D'Cunha; Sweeney, Proudfoot, Schepers, Wilkin and Wilkins.

TRANSIT SECTION: Cpl. Britton; Andrews and Burns; Brown, Darby and Newbury; Bailey, Fluin, Gatward, Orange and Britton.

REFEREE: Mr. Ridley.

TO-DAY'S GAME
3RD FIELD BRIGADE R.A.
vs.
BOMBAY GYMKHANA

'C. R.' CONDEMNS EX-PARTE ORDER

Ban On Meherally Is Interference With Civil Liberty

MADRAS, June 29.

In connection with the restraint order served on Mr. Yusuf Meherally, prohibiting him from addressing any public meeting in four taluks of Malabar, Mr. C. Rajagopalachari, in the course of a letter to the Press says:

"The order served on Mr. Meheraliy is executive and an ex-parte intermerece with normal civil liberty, which cannot be simply justified by the stale formula that the Moplahs in Malabar are terrible people If such a justification were to be accepted by the public, it would mean condemning half Malabar to the permanent status of an excluded area. This will be an intolerable position."—A. P.

ACTIVISING CONGRESS

Changes In "F" Ward Committee's Constitution

The Joint Hon. Secretary of the 'F' Ward District Congress Committee, writes:—

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the 'F' Ward District Congress Committee the feasibility of holding a Political Conference confined to all primary members of the Congress enrolled on the register of this Committee was discussed.

A Sub-Committee was subsequently appointed to report on the same.

The Committee also decided that all members should meet at its office on Sunday morning, the 4th instant, and then proceed in groups for enrolment of Congress members on a mass scale.

The new constitution of the Committee was approved at the meeting. A feature of this constitution is the provision it makes for greater and more direct contact with primary members. At present the primary members after enrolment go back into passive inactivity. It is only when election takes place that some activity is visible. In order to remove this defect and in order to make the Congress organisation, more active, the new constitution has provided for quarterly meetings of primary members. These quarterly meetings will discuss the report of the Executive Committee and make recommendations about the best way of making the Congress organisation more active.

Britain Wants To Avoid War

If Present Conditions Persist Franco May Win, Says Bhulabhai

KARACHI, June 28

Only a couple of pressmen were present, when the Dutch Plane brought the German Search Party and Mr. Bhulabhai Desai.

"Ask me anything except my views on the present political situation, either here or in Britain", said Mr. Bhulabhai to the Associated Press.

He spent ten days in England where he met prominent British politicians and 20 days at Vichy, where he was recuperating. England is trying its best to avoid war and some politicians went to the length of saying that they would do anything to avoid a big conflagration. As regards Spain, if the present conditions continued it will not be long before Gen. Franco becomes victorious.

NANGA PARBAT TRAGEDY

The famous mountaineer, Herr Baur told the Associated Press that Herr Kaurg, third member was arriving by the next Imperial Airmail, after which they would probably fly to the scene of the disaster. Germany was shocked to learn of the tragedy.

Discounting the theory that the season they chose was not best, Herr Baur held that they could not have selected a better season.

The last Everest and other expeditions in 1932 and 1934 had undertaken their task in the same season.

He could not say whether the tragedy would act as a setback to further expeditions.

Revenue Officer Appointed On Rs. 500 Per Month

MADRAS, June 29.

The question of the appointment of a Revenue Officer for the Madras Corporation in the vacancy caused by the death of the permanent incumbent came up at to-day's meeting of the Corporation when in conformity with the declared policy of the Congress Party, the salary of the new incumbent was fixed at Rs. 500 with a motor allowance of Rs. 75 a month.

IMPORTANT DECISION

An important step was taken to-day when the Madras Corporation resolved to invest all Sanitary and Conservancy Inspectors of the City with police powers with a view to checking the commission of nuisance on public roads and thoroughfare, which has become very common in the City of late.—A. P.

PUT BAN ON "INDIA SPEAKS"

Sir Phiroze Sethna's Appeal To Govt. Of India

BOMBAY, June 29

Sir Phiroze Sethna, President of the Motion Picture Society of India has addressed a letter to the Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department, urging the banning of the book entitled, "India Speaks", which is on sale in India for sometime past. The book whose author is Mr. Richard Hollibur-ton, is published by Messrs. Gassets and Dunlop of America, and is profusely illustrated with the darker side of Indian life.

The book is reported to be as damaging in character as the film "India Speaks", whose exhibition was banned in the British Empire and in India as the result of countrywide agitation.

In his letter, Sir Phiroze Sethna has, it is understood, urged the confiscation of all copies of the book available for sale and the importance of proscribing it in the interest of peace and tranquility in this country.—United Press.

INDIAN RADIO AND CABLES

Dividend Of 15 On Ordinary & 12 Per Cent. On Deferred Shares

The thirteenth ordinary general meeting of the Indian Radio and Cable Communications Company, Ltd., was held at the Company's offices on Tuesday evening with Mr. Sultan Chinoy in the chair.

The chairman in the course of his speech pointed out that the Beam and Cable Traffic showed a decline over last year. While the paid word total for 1935 was 24,595,471 the total for 1936 was only 24 239,480. But since the higher classes of traffic were not severely affected the adverse drop in the gross revenue was only Rs. 1.87.121 and odd.

OVERSEAS 'PHONE RATES

The Overseas Telephone Service also showed a drop. This drop was attributed by Mr. Chinoy to the prohibitive charge of Rs. 60 for a three minute call. With a view to popularise the service the Company has decided to continue the rate of Rs. 40 for a three minute call, which was at first offered as a Coronation concession.

NET PROFIT

The directors report of the working of the Company, which was adopted at the meeting showed a net profit of Rs. 9,96,237 and odd. Adding to this the surplus left over from last year the Company was able to allot Rs. 2,00,000 for Reserve Fund, Rs. 1 50,000 for Dividend Equalisation Fund; pay a total of Rs. 6 20,985 as dividends and leave Rs. 5,74,489 and odd to be carried over.

A total dividend of 15 per cent. on ordinary shares and 12 per cent. on deferred shares was declared.

Mr. Sultan Chinoy was re-elected to the Board of Directors, and Messrs S. B. Billimoria and Co., were appointed auditors.

DOWN WITH FORCED LABOUR

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free, sometimes for months together.

False Announcements

These evils obtain even to-day in the year of Grace 1937. Pompous announcements made in the Press, in Durbars and otherwise informing the world about the abolition of "Bethi" in certain States are thoroughly misleading. In fact, the very announcements often contain exceptions in favour of some of the most oppressive forms of "Bethi" like those on ceremonial occasions, 'shikar' and 'khedas.' But, what is equally bad, even when labour is not exacted gratuitously, something else is substituted for it in the shape of commutation fees. In this way, from three to five annas are levied for every rupee of rent due on land. This levy is now being collected even on 'lakhraj' and 'jagir' lands on which land revenue is not due. Additional land revenue is thus realized from lands so far exempt from it. This levy generally is, in effect, a fresh settlement; and the hardship of the people can well be imagined in these days of low prices for paddy—the staple crop of the States. On the whole, the principle of some of the Rajas obviously is to get free labour for every kind of work imaginable, or more than its worth from their subjects

Hoodwinked

On the 3rd March 1937 a statement made by the Government of India was published on "Forced Labour Prohibition" detailing the action taken in India on the draft Convention of the International Labour Conference in June 1930. The last paragraph of the statement referring to the steps taken in Indian States ran thus: "Steps have been taken to induce all States which have not already taken action to enact legislation in regard to forced labour on the lines of the legislation now prevailing in British India, and the Political Officers concerned have been requested to ask States to ensure that the laws so enacted are duly enforced." It is not known what action the Crown Department has taken in this matter with reference to the Orissa States. But, whether it has moved at all or not, it has successfully been hoodwinked by many of the Durbars of Orissa who are now able to enjoy the fruits of "Bethi" without the stigma attaching to them.

State People's Duty

With the waves of democracy surging all round, the people of the States will be well advised in taking upon themselves at once and seriously the task of redressing all or any of their grievances. They have to learn how to stand on their own legs. That means they must organise themselves and agitate effectively, albeit constitutionally.

POSTPONE YOUR HUNGER-STRIKE

Bombay Civil Liberties Union's Appeal To S. N. Bakshi

General Secretary, Indian Civil Liberties Union, Bombay, has addressed the following letter to Sjt. S. N. Bakshi who is on a hunger-strike in Naini Jail for the release of all political prisoners:—

Dear Friend,

We have been closely and carefully following your progress. Responsible leaders have tried without success to dissuade you from making that supreme sacrifice. You certainly have a right to your opinions and convictions. But you must concede that confined as you are within the four walls of a jail that you have little access to and consequently little knowledge of the world outside. Individuals and institutions of various shades and creeds have been and are still striving vigorously to effect the release of all political prisoners in all the provinces of India. The latest utterance of President Nehru at a meeting in Chitagong voices the feeling of India on the problem of political prisoners and her determination to see that justice is done to them.

We cannot yet claim that we have provincial autonomy in at least six of the provinces where peoples' real representatives have not assumed the reigns of Government. It is expected that if and when they do so, a constructive lead will be given on issues which are vital to the nation. Your decision, therefore, is a little premature even if you believe the method to be right.

The Indian Civil Liberties Union joins with others in requesting you to postpone your hunger-strike that the efforts of those who are working for the cause may have an opportunity to bear fruits.

CHANDA CIVIC ELECTIONS

"Lok Sewa" Party's Success

(From A Correspondent)

CHANDA CITY, June 29.

Mr. Noorbhoy's "Lok Sewa" Party was victorious

Nationalists and Khusal Chandites were completely routed. They secured only four seats out of eleven. Their sheet anchor is now nominations.

The will of Charles Palmer, Director Huntley and Palmer Limited, Biscuit manufacturers has been proved for £1,335,840. Estate duty amounting to £544,841 has been paid.

ALLEGED BREACH OF PATENT

Interim Injunction Refused By High Court

Mr. Justice Engineer at the High Court heard the suit filed by Walter Pelham Warren and another for an injunction against Sorabji Ruttonji on the allegation that the defendant had infringed the patent granted to the plaintiff.

The plaintiff stated that on April 2, 1935, the Government of India granted him a patent for his invention of a dustbin which could be used for displaying advertisement posters. The contrivance was such that it could revolve round and round and attract public attention. In pursuance to the patent, the plaintiff had arranged for several dustbins in various places in the City.

ALLEGED IMITATION

The plaintiff alleged that towards the end of April the defendant had put up several dustbins in various buildings and these dustbins were very similar to those for which the plaintiff had obtained the patent.

The allegations were denied by the defendant who stated that the contrivance which the plaintiff claimed to be his original invention was in fact known all over British India.

In refusing an interim injunction, his lordship observed that the plaintiffs had not denied that such dustbins were known in Bombay and Calcutta since 1932. Under the circumstances this was not a fit case for an interim injunction at this stage.

TRAINING OF "DUFFERIN" CADETS

Bombay Port Trusts' Offer

The Ag. Secretary, Bombay Port Trust, writes:—

At a meeting of the Trustees of the Port of Bombay held on 29th June 1937, the election by the Millowners' Association of Mr. T. V. Baddeley as a member of the Board of Trustees "vice" Mr. A. Geddis resigned, was recorded."

The Board agreed to co-operate with the Government of India in a scheme for giving workshop training to Engineering Cadets, who had completed their service on board the I. M. M. T. S. "Dufferin" with a view to qualify as Marine Engineers and undertook to employ in their Workshops as apprentices from the beginning of next year two cadets annually for a course of 3 years' training in fitting, erecting and repairing steam engines, boilers and auxiliaries and turning. The Board further considered the question of their policy in regard to future employment of "Dufferin" cadets, who had qualified as Marine Engineers, and recorded their recognition that this scheme offorded a useful step for widening the field for recruitment of Mechanical and Marine Engineers and that advantage would be taken of this wider field in filling appointments in the Trustees' service.

"COMMUNIST CONSPIRACY CASE"

High Court Turns Down Application Of Transfer

CALCUTTA, June 29.

The application of Basanta Kumar Joshi one of the twelve accused in what is known as the Communist Conspiracy Case, for the transfer of the case from the file of the Additional Presidency Magistrate was rejected to-day by Justices McNair and Biswas of the Calcutta High Court.

Their Lordships also refused the prayer of the petitioner for a direction upon the Magistrate for the postponement of the cross-examination of prosecution witnesses till some witnesses had been examined in chief and for following the Warrant Case procedure.

Joshi and eleven others are being tried for the alleged offences of conspiracy and also offences under the Press and Emergency Powers Act.—A.P.

THE THREE MUSKETEERS

HOMEWARDS.

The homeward journey was performed in easy stages. Before long all four friends were once more united. Aramis and Porthos were found to be hale and hearty at the respective inns where they had nursed their wounds, and where they had been compelled to remain because they had gambled all their money away. Porthos would not own to having been wounded in the duel, but complained of a bad knee instead. The others were considerate enough to pretend to believe him.

On the way home D'Artagnan told his comrades about all his adventures since their parting.

Immediately on their arrival at Paris the four friends reported to M. de Treville.

LORD WINTER.

M. de Treville expressed his pleasure at seeing his four sturdy yeomen safely back.

"Hold yourselves in readiness," he told them "His majesty intends to open the campaign against la Chapelle in the near future."

One day D'Artagnan, who had a knack of finding adventure, ran foul of an Englishman, Lord Winter. Their subsequent duel in the familiar enclosure ended in the Englishman being disarmed.

"You hold my Life in your hand," said the latter.

"Allow me to give it you," answered D'Artagnan with a smile, and shook his opponent's hand warmly.

"May I have the honour to call myself your friend," the Englishman asked.

"There is nothing I should like better," replied D'Artagnan.

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TAXI DRIVERS PROTEST AGAINST POLICE ACTION

Union Resents Issuing Of Arbitrary Notices

At the Annual General Meeting of the Bombay Taxi Drivers' Union held at the Jinnah Hall on Sunday morning the following resolutions were passed:—

This meeting condemns the action of Government in not accepting the Union's repeated proposals for the deletion of Rule No. 87 M. V. Rules, and for the acceptance of amendment in Rule No. 31 that "no motor vehicle could ply for hire if it had no meter" and now calls upon the new Office-bearers to immediately communicate with the Chief Minister concerned with the M. V. Department with the object of presenting the Union's case before Government and effecting the above amendments in the Rules before the new Legislature commences.

Should the Union fail to get reasonable redress in the matter mentioned above, it shall be competent for the Managing Committee to forthwith appoint a Council of Action consisting of leading representatives of the union with the object of launching direct action so as to radically achieve the removal of Private taxis in Bombay.

Arbitrary Powers

This meeting deeply resents the action of the Police in arbitrarily issuing notices of cancellation of cars which is against all regulations, and demands of the Police Commissioner that the Testing Officers should never be empowered with such cancellation and should be instructed to examine every car on its own merits everytime that is presented and should certain cars be found to be totally unfit for hire, he should himself give his final opinion in the matter of cancellation prior to which due information should be demanded of the driver why his car cannot be cancelled.

This meeting simultaneously demands that a joint Test Board should be appointed by the Police Commissioner, consisting of representatives of the Police authorities and representatives of the Union, which should decide upon the fate of every such car before arriving at a final decision.

"Popp's Meters Satisfactory"

This meeting reaffirms its resolution to use Popp's Meters which have been current in Bombay ever since the Taxis were introduced as they have been able to answer long and durable purpose to the universal satisfaction of both the Police and the public and requests the Licensing Authority to sanction the same type of meters, there being no particular necessity for the new requirement passed under Government Resolution No. 6211/3 dated the 18th May 1936, one of which being the turning of the Round Flag which seems to be a device introduced for the purpose of supporting foreign manufacture at great loss to the poor taxi drivers of Bombay.

HINDU LAW IN MYSORE

Amendment Bill Goes To Select Committee

(From Our Correspondent)
BANGALORE, June 26.

The Budget session of the Mysore Legislative Council commenced its session this noon in the Council Chambers under the presidency of Dewan, Sir Mirza M. Ismail. After the taking of oath by the new members questions and answers were taken up.

Mr. Girimaja Rao asked whether the Government were aware that the President of the Kolar District Board is the editor of "Janavani" a Kannada daily of Bangalore?

Govt.: Yes.

Question: Have Government permitted him to absent himself from his jurisdiction and to look after the editorship?

Govt.: No permission is necessary for it.

Question: Does this not go to suffer the work of the District Board?

Answer: This question does not arise as there is no necessity for obtaining permission.

Then Government business was taken up. The Hindu Law Amendment Bill was referred to Select Committee consisting of the First Member of Council and six other members.

The Bill for removal of disabilities arising from change of religion or deprivation of caste was discussed. Dewan Bahadur K. R. Srinivasaiyengar and others vehemently opposed this bill.

The Council is proceeding.

LADY TATA MEMORIAL FUND

Trustees Award Grants And Scholarship

(From Our Own Correspondent)
LONDON, (By Air Mail).

The trustees of the Lady Tata Memorial Fund announce that, on the recommendation of the Scientific Advisory Committee they have awarded the following grants and scholarships for research in blood diseases, with special reference to leucaemia, in the academic year beginning on October 1, 1937.

Grants for research expenses or for scientific assistance: Dr. Julius Engelbreth Holm (Copenhagen, Prof. Dr. Karl Jarmi) (Budapest, Prof. James McIntosh (London), Prof. Dr. Charles Oberling (Paris), Prof. Eugene Opie and Dr. Jacob Furth (New York), Dr. George Weitzmann (Leipzig), and Dr. Lucy Wills (London).

Scholarships: Dr. Jorgen Bichel (Aarhus, Denmark), and Dr. Edoardo Storti (Pavia, Italy).

Students' Federation And Senate Election

The General Secretary writes:—

The time for the right selections has come. The voting papers have already been distributed to the voters. There are 18 candidates, contesting the five seats to be filled by the Registered Graduates.

The Bombay Presidency Students' Federation considered the past services as well as the readiness of the candidates to stand by the demands of the students. It has selected the following four names and it recommends these four persons to you for your vote.

Sjt. Gunuvant V. Kapadia (1) is a well-known Congress worker and so is Sjt. B. N. Datar (2). The claims of both these persons have been justified by the support they have obtained from the leading public men.

Sjt. Manilal K. Desai (3) is a pleader from Baroda and his assurances to stand by the demands of the students at all cost have won for him our support.

Sjt. N. V. Ganpule (4) is a Chemical Engineer and is a victim of the high-handed policy of the college authorities. As he is free from any sort of fear or favour, we are sure he will be the best man to guard the interests and privileges of the student community.

The B.P.S.F., therefore, recommends to you these four names and leaves the choice of the fifth man to your good sense.

We request you not to be guided by personal prejudices or by undue pressure and waste your votes. Make a choice for which, we shall not have to repent in future.

Let us send in our fighters.

Baroda Letter

ELECTIONS TO SENATE

Candidature Of Prof. Trivedi And Dr. Naik

(From Our Correspondent)
BARODA, (By Mail).

Two candidates of Baroda are standing for the elections to the Senate from University Teachers' and Teachers' Constituency. One is Prof. A. K. Trivedi of Baroda College. The other is Dr. K. G. Naik, head of the Chemistry Department of Baroda College and Industrial Chemist to the Baroda Government. Recognised teacher for research in chemistry for the M. Sc., and Ph. D. degrees, Dr. Naik is responsible for training a good number of students in chemical research. He recently visited leading Universities in England, France, Germany, Russia, America, etc. Brisk canvassing is going on.

Reports received from various parts of Baroda district indicate that heavy showers of rain have fallen in many villages. Rain water is now running in the river Vishwamitri.

PRAJAMANDAL ELECTIONS

Mr. Maganbhai Bajibhai has been elected as the President of Mehsana Taluka Prajamandal and Messrs Mangalbhai Khushalbhai and Kishorbhai Tribhovandas as secretaries. Mr. Bapoobhai Ghelabhai Desai has been elected as the President of Vyara Taluka Prajamandal, Mr. Govindbhai Pandit as Vice-President and Mr. Prabhubhai Rambhai as secretary. Mr. Bapoobhai L. Kadikar has been elected as the President of Kadi Taluka Prajamandal and Mr. Govindlal A. Modi as its secretary.

The forthcoming session of the Baroda State Legislative Assembly will be held on Monday, 26th July.

ALLEGED DEFALCATION

Kanaiyalal, a clerk in Baroda Taluka Panchayat section, has been arrested. It is alleged that he had misappropriated amount of Rs. 22,000 and had left Baroda. It is further alleged that on being advised by some persons to surrender he came down from Calcutta.

DAVAR'S COLLEGE BOYS BREAK RECORDS

Results Of Chartered Insurance Institute's Exam.

The following students of Davar's College of Commerce have been declared successful in the Chartered Insurance Institute, London, Examination, held in March, 1937.

LIFE INSURANCE BRANCH—
PART I—(OF SIX PAPERS).

(1) Mr. Manharlal M. Baxi, (2) Mr. Harnad P. Bhat, (3) Mr. Sitaram S. Borker, (4) Mr. Chethput Raju, (5) Mr. Camillo C. D'Soiza, (6) Mr. Appaswamy Ganapathy, (7) Mr. Mohit C. Gupta, (8) Mr. P. Narayanan Nair, (9) Mr. Chinubhai D. Patel, (10) Mr. Ram M. Ray, (11) Mr. Narayan P. Sukerkar, (12) Mr. Vincent Suzai, (13) Mr. Krishnanath V. Tamhane, (14) Mr. Kekobad D. Thetha, (15) Mr. Srinivasan Thiruvenkatachari, (16) Mr. Subrahmanya Viswanathan, (17) Mr. Girindranath Chakrabarty, (18) Mr. Anil K. Chatterjee, (19) Mr. Sukumar C. Ghose, (20) Mr. Krishna Raman.

Mr. S. Subrahmanyan has passed Life Part I—Group A Examination made up of Three Papers.

The undernoted candidates have passed Life Part I—Group B Examination made up of Three Papers:

(1) Mr. Sadanand Y. Gaitonde, (2) Mr. Nampiathu R. P. Pillai.

LIFE INSURANCE BRANCH—
PART II—(OF SIX PAPERS).

The undernoted candidates have completed Life Part II Examination, thus qualifying for Associates (A. C. I. I.) Diploma:—(1) Mr. Lachhmi N. Agarwal, (2) Mr. Deviprasad M. Swadia, (3) Mr. Narasimhaiyengar R. Swamy.

The undernoted candidates have passed Life Part II—Group A Examination made up of Three Papers:—(1) Mr. Gudibane V. Jannah, (2) Mr. Kumara S. Pillay, (3) Mr. Bansilal N. Vani.

Mr. Vishnu M. Bhide completed Fire Branch Part II Examination made up of six papers, thus qualifying for Associates (A. C. I. I.) Diploma.

Mr. A. N. S. Raghavan an exstudent is declared successful in Section I of Fellowship Examination.

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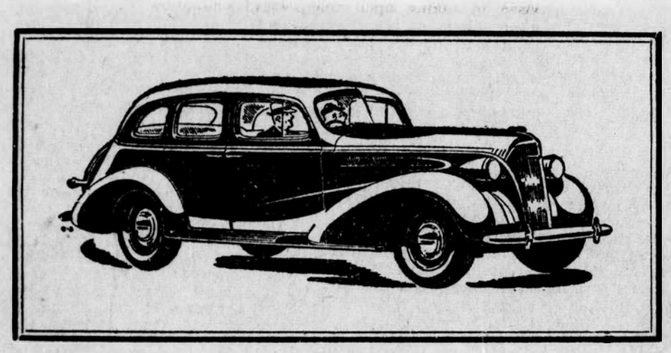

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Mainly About Motion Pictures

"JAGIRDAR" AT ROXY

Reveals New Phase And Promising Artist

"Jagirdar," as a story, touches an interesting average. That is to say, it fulfils the popular expectations of the cine fan. The story is full of exciting incidents.

But the particular appeal of the Sagar picture now showing at the Roxy for the fifth week, is three-fold—its music, photography and acting.

Kumari Bibbo has a voice and music whose distinction is clearly marked out and one can only wish that the distinction had been fully realised and exhibited.

There are, moreover, shots in the picture that illustrate graphically the poetry that is discovered by the camera in every-day environment.

As to the acting: Mr. Mehboob, the Director, has seriously and conscientiously brought out the delightful traits of Surendra and Bibbo, traits which help the story. Motilal makes of his part a bold enterprise, which reveals the unencumbered freedom of artistic interpretation. He gives character to the part and meaning to the drama.

NEW THEATRES STUDIO NEWS

(CONTRIBUTED).

"MUKTI" is progressing fast and shots after shots are being taken in the quickest time possible. Last week Bimal Roy, the Cameraman, finished the taking of 20 shots in course of about eight hours. The shots were from different angles and out of the 1,300 feet of film exposed not a single foot was wasted. It is really some performance for any cameraman.

Amar Mullick (in the Bengali Version) came out from the Set with an injured knee last week. He had to perform a fall from a knock-out blow from the hero—and everything turned out to be very natural. When Amar Mullick was knocked down he fell with a heavy table on his knee. Mullick had to nurse his knee for 3 or 4 days.

Arrangements for the shooting of the Calcutta sequences of "Mukti" are now complete and Barua will lose no time to finish these in course of a month.

"ABHIGYAN"—Director Profulla Roy has finished the script of Abhigyan. The selection of cast has been taken up and the same will be published in our next notes. Rehearsal will most probably start by the 1st. week of July.

"ANATH ASHRAM"—The Shooting is complete and the picture may be ready for the screen by the middle of July. The film-editor Subodh Mitter is working full time. ANATH ASHRAM has been produced with all possible care and nothing has been spared to make it a big success.

"BIDYAPATI"—While craftsmen are busy constructing the huge and gorgeous sets of the king's palace, in Studio No. 2, they have in the meantime, arranged to shoot another scene, in an interior set, showing the Bidhusak's house.

Crammed with tough-gay incidents, from start to finish, the scene opens with 'Bidhusak' and his pretty wife, 'Lalita-Lavangalata,' revealing sequences of non-ending mirth and frivolity, with the blending of sparkling dialogues that will lift you clear out of your seats!

AMAR MULLICK & NEMO, the two favourite veterans, have been happily cast in the roles of the two 'Bidhusaks' in two versions, with DEBBALA & RAMPIYARI playing opposite them, as their 'wives' on the screen.

The costume-department is working day and night, making hundreds of costumes, carefully designed by the well-known artist, Mr. Sourin Sen, under skilled supervision of Mr. P. N. Roy, the chief of the Production Department. Along with principal characters, the gorgeous 'court-scene' in the king's palace, will introduce about 100 'extras,' all clad in colourful robes. From the details available to us, we can guess, that the Screen is destined for a spectacular feast of awe, beauty and grandeur.

HOME FOR CINE SOCIETY

Future Projection Room And Offices

At an emergency Committee Meeting of the Amateur Cine Society of India, it was decided to take two blocks of offices in Mherwan Building, Sir Phirozshaw Mehta Road, as a home for the club.

These two rooms are to be converted into a workshop and small projection theatre for which purpose a special sub-committee has been appointed.

The idea is to have a small projection theatre for trying out members' films, etc., and it is anticipated that seating accommodation, when certain alterations are complete and two rooms have been thrown into one, will be sufficient for about 120 people. For providing for larger meetings a public hall will be engaged. The rest of the rooms will eventually be taken up with a library for books, cine magazines, editing tables, etc., and these facilities will be open to members daily and on certain evenings each week.

"Zumbo" with Kumari Sarla Devi at the Super. (Bhavnani).

Srimati Kamlesh Kumari in "President" at the Krishna.

"Savitri" the new Bombay Talkies picture booked for the Roxy.

"THE PRESIDENT"

14th Week At The Krishna

(CONTRIBUTED.)

Inspite of rain in Bombay, the families have taken to "The President"—New Theatres Ltd.'s latest hit running at the Krishna Talkies.

"The President" is a picture that has all the good points that go to make a success. It's story, its theme, its treatment, its music, its dialogues, everything combined make "The President"—a president among all the Indian pictures produced till now.

"The President" has a delightful theme which has captured the hearts of every film fan in Bombay—nay all over India.

Here is life, love and laughter cleverly woven in a stirring melodrama where the main roll is played by the destiny.

Sjt. R. C. Boral is responsible for musical score.—His presentation and direction of melodies is inspiring. In every way "The President" is a picture, worth seeing many times. Go and see it at the Krishna.

"FRONTIERS OF FREEDOM"

At The Majestic

(CONTRIBUTED.)

What makes the frontiers of freedom? What toll does a people pay before stepping into that land of bliss?

Chopped heads and bleeding hearts, and love-groves turned to battle-fields; these mark freedom's frontiers; this—price every people pays for the great privilege that human spirit craves.

Maharashtra crossed that frontier under the banner of the inspired Shiwaji. The farmer hammered his plough into a sword, and women's needles became transformed into spears. Then would the maiden spurn the youth who thought of a home, and embrace the one that offered his head at the gate of national freedom.

To-day, we need hear of those inspired times!. The divine inspiration that moved Shiwaji and his gallant Maharattas cannot fail to inspire the India of to-day.

It is good news, therefore that a spark of—that inspiration has been caught up on the screen.

"Frontiers of Freedom", or "Swarajya Seemewar" is at once the title and the theme of a magnificent picture of gallantry produced by Prince Shiwaji Productions of Kolhapur, under the masterly direction of Major Dadasaheb Nimbalkar. The picture is due shortly to be released at the Majestic.

The story deals with a young rustic lover who gallantly foregoes the bliss of love for the eternal bliss of a glorious death in the cause of the nation's freedom; of his beloved, who refused to keep but gloried in her lover's sacrifice; of Shiwaji, who called upon every youth and maiden of Maharashtra to dedicate their hearts to banner of freedom.

The cast is happily chosen and each member does full justice to his or her role. It is an inspiring tale, spiritedly told and gallantly acted. "Frontiers of Freedom" is a foregone success.

"JEEVAN NAIYA"

To Be Revived This Saturday At Opera

From this Saturday (July 3) they will be reviving at the Opera House Bombay Talkies popular film "Jeevan Naiya" starring Devika Rani. The film, it will be recalled, had made a good hit a year ago when it was first shown and its revival would be generally welcomed.

Kumari Madhuri in "Love of A Slave" (Ranjit).

"PREM-LAKSHA" OR "THE ARROW OF DESTINY"

For Minerva

(CONTRIBUTED.)

If you love really a progressive theme dealing with present social manners and orthodox customs and if you like to see the nemisis these things bring forth, then you must make it a point to see Western India Film Corporation's social hit "The Arrow of Destiny" or "Prem-Laksha" coming next Saturday to the Minerva Talkies.

"Prem-Laksha" has a touching tale of an unfortunate girl who is being sacrificed at the altar of society's so-called prestige. Then the most touching situations take place which will make you hate the present social structure and will inspire you to break down these rotten barriers which are quite reactionary in every way.

There are stars like Bimla Kumari (of "Baghi-Sipahi" fame), Manzar, Mustafa, Nawabjaneh "Prem-Laksha" will be released next Saturday through Supreme Film Distributors.

Kumar Vinayak in "Prem Veer" forthcoming 'Huns' release.

"SAVITRI"

Bombay Talkies Films Starring Devika Rani Coming At Roxy

There was a time when Indian film companies exclusively specialized in making mythological pictures. That was before the advent of the talkies when film technique in India was but in its elementary state. Films made in Indian studios were crude and suffered from lack of experience and proper training on the part of the technicians and the producers. With an eye on the box-office, producers were perforce reduced to exploiting mythological themes which had then, as ever, a ready appeal in a country like India. These mythological films were necessarily crude attempts, technically poor and artistically indifferent. Thus it was that the increasing number of discerning film fans started regarding them as cheap sob-stuff. A few good "mythologicals" like East India Film Co's "Seeta" certainly helped to raise their stock in the market but a glut of indifferent "mythologicals" again reduced their reputation to the previous level. During the last several years hardly any great mythological films have been made.

"SAVITRI"

And yet to shut out mythological themes from Indian studios is a mistake. Buried in our ancient myth and legend lie treasures of great wisdom—spiritual consolation as well as practical advice on worldly matters. Why should we not occasionally enrich the screen with artistic representations of mythological themes? That was the question which perhaps the executives of the Bombay Talkies asked themselves and sensibly enough replied it by launching on their production of the immortal classic of "Savitri" which is now nearing completion at their Malad studios. Devika Rani is starred in the title role and one may take it that she would do justice to what will probably be the greatest role of her career. People in the studio who have seen her acting either on "sets" or have been privileged to see the "rushes" of the film affirm that she has excelled all her previous performances in "Savitri." Her transformation from modern roles to a mythological one has naturally roused the curiosity of her fans who may, however, rest assured that in Savitri as in all her other pictures, she will prove herself the great artiste that she is.

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lishers have decided to include the valuable information in their nex issue.

Their first venture, the presen volume is, despite this restrictio. however,. as informative and help ful as it could be. It includes such varied items of interest to the film world as Post, Telegraph, and Customs arrangements, income tax, Board of Film Censors, list o. cinema theatres, of business firms and concerns, associations, classified test of traders, of artists technicians and film executives This is supplemented by a "Foreign Section" dealing with useful information about the film world and personalities abroad.

Altogether this is an indispensable work of reference for every one associated with the films in India for every studio, artist, technician, writer and fan as well as for every exhibitor, producer and distributor.

AS THE GERMANS SEE INDIA!

"Terribly Difficult" With "Natives!"

The Foreign News Service, a monthly bulletin published by the German Film Industry contains the following views on their film experiences in India. It is clear from their own words that they were addressing the "Native" in a language that was native only to Germany. So that, their gratituition certificate about the intelligence of the Indian players applies nearer Germany. One would, moreover, like to be informed by these film tourists who complain about "dear" living in India the exact scales of their payment to the "native" who were expected to reach an impossible standard of intelligence.

"The well-known German Film Director Richard Eichberg has just returned from a Film Expedition to India, where he has been making the outside shots for the two Tobis productions "Dermal" (the Indian Tomb). One of his collaborators told us the following about their work in India.

"Believe me, we never even had time to catch our breath: It went every day from six o'clock in the morning until late at night. We were in the field until six o'clock in the evening, came home at seven, got our pay, had supper at eight, and after that the next day's work was mapped out and we settled accounts and wrote. The cameramen had to spend hours cleaning their machines which were full of dust, and this was the routine day after day. You will believe me when I say that we were dead tired and tumbled into bed immediately. It was terribly difficult to deal with the people there. **They worked like snails, and some of the natives were so stupid that it would have saved time to train a dog; you can have no idea of how it was.** For example, we had ten girls for the bathing scene with the princess who simply didn't turn up the next day, although they were satisfied with the pay. They preferred to do hard manual labour than to make films; **No European is ever allowed to touch an Indian woman; that is, no man.** They feel polluted if you do. Now imagine Richard Eichberg seeing that the women were standing wrong and doing everything wrong and didn't understand a word of English, and he unable to go in and show them what they ought to do. It was enough to drive anyone crazy! **Living was rather dear.** People who had told us that India was the cheapest country in the world were completely wrong. In the Taj Mahal we paid 16 rupees a day each, without drinks, and then there were the tips extra. We couldn't do anything. At our later station it only cost Rs. 10 a day. But there was exactly the same food every day; tinned soup always the same boiled mutton, somewhat unpleasantly aromatic, and later chicken with curry, so strong that we could hardly eat it. Lunch we took with us, since we were on location all day long. There were always hard boiled eggs, so small that Sepp Rist said the chickens ought to be given a drilling. Then "aromatic" neat an apple, and a banana. With it we drank a bottle of soda-water and tried to think of a good old Berlin sandwich and a respectable glass of beer. Elexander Golling and Werner Futterer, who lived together in one tent, had scoured around and found a couple of incandescent lamps, which they used to light up their palace entrance in the evening. Once, together with van Dongen, they gave a little harmonica concert, and we were all homesick. The actors, when they were through with their shots, had more time to have a look at their surroundings, but the technical staff was almost always busy, as I said at the beginning. There were lots of wild monkeys, snakes, camels, crocodiles, elephants, and other beasts there, who were not so tame as the ones we know. "Our" tiger, which took part in the picture and which Richard Eichburg fearlessly selected, looked fine and was called "Bani". We also got a shot of an elephant fight. All these things were of course very interesting and made up for the hardships.

When we sit in the theatre afterwards and see the adventurous action of the "Tiger von Eschnapur" and the sequel in "Das indische Grabmal", where will certainly be no sign of the difficulties which had to be overcome by a little group of German film-makers in the tropical heat of a distant land before the fruits of their strenuous labour, which demanded every cunce of energy from all of them, in the form of a few thousand metres of film can be rewarded by our applause".

THE CINE DIRECTORY INDIA

A Timely Publication

The Cine Directory, India. M. B. Billimoria, Bombay.

"The Cine Directory, India" is, in all likelihood, the first publication of its kind It is as informative as it is timely. It is true, as the publishers, themselves acknowledge: That the "Cine-Directory" is not as complete as they would have wished it to be. Information about British East Afica, Fiji, Malaya and other places where Indian films are exhibited is not included in the present volume. But the pub-

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Bimal Kumari and Sy[illegible] in "Prem-Laksha" to run at the Super.

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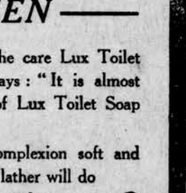

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SON SENDS "RED" LETTERS TO FATHER

Interesting Sequel To Karachi Excise Official's Complaint

KARACHI, June 27.

Interesting developments have taken place in connection with a complaint filed by an Excise official that he had received Red Letters threatening him with danger to life. The police it may be mentioned detained three persons and was carrying on investigations. The Excise Officer received more Red Letters during the week. The police posted a regular guard at his residence.

It was then noticed that day before yesterday a boy was throwing one such letter into the house. The letter which was the typescript held out the threat that the officer will be killed and his house set on fire. The boy was taken to the police station and the complainant later found that the boy was his own son. His son is said to have confessed that he had thrown all the red letters. The boy is in custody.—A. P.

MADRAS BARRISTER IN CUSTODY

Sequel To Alleged Cheating

NEW DELHI, June 29.

Mr. P. K. Nayar, Barrister of Madras, was arrested by the New Delhi police under Section 420, I.P.C., it is alleged, for cheating a local 'Tongawalla' by giving a bogus cheque in payment of his bill.

Inquiries made by the Madras police show that he was wanted in a case for criminal breach of trust in respect of a diamond jewel.

It is further learnt that he was suspended from practising as lawyer in Madras.—United Press.

OUR MOSCOW LETTER

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the well-advanced nation's art and stage.

"Farhad and Shirin", a traditional legend of us orientals, written by Naval, an oriental writer of the fifteenth century, has been so fascinatingly expressed in the Uzbek language and staged as a semi-opera and semi-drama, that with the addition of charming and colourful scenery and the fascinating acting of the Uzbek actors and actresses, it leaves a deep impression on the audience.

Two other plays given by the Uzbek theatre in Moscow were, "The Gul-Sara", and "Sail and Kolkhoz". The former is apparently propaganda against the 'hawah' system, but the music, folk dances, folk songs and folk games, as well as the national costumes and the colourful scenery make it an effective and pleasant play. A great number of actors and actresses of the Uzbek nationality showed the high degree to which they have mastered singing and dancing.

The performances of the Uzbek State Dramatic Theatre, Uzbek State Musical Theatre and Uzbek State Philharmonic Society, were visited by many Soviet and foreign notables, including Joseph Stalin himself and many members of the Soviet Government.

State Patronage

As a result of their achievements thirteen of the Uzbek actresses and actors have been awarded the Soviet order of "Red Banner," twenty-five were awarded the "Badge of Honour," and the actress Halima Nasir has been granted the highest title for art workers, 'Peoples Actress of the U.S.S.R." In addition thirty seven employees, musicians, composers, and artists of the Uzbek theatre have been awarded valuable gifts by the Soviet Government.

The care and concern of the Soviet Government for the artists, musicians, composers, actors and all those busy with the work of art, can be further illustrated by the following facts, the Soviet Government has granted a sum of 3,000,000 roubles for building a dwelling for the participants in the Uzbek Art Festival, 4,000,000 roubles have been granted to the Uzbek State Philharmonic to build a most up-to-date building in Uzbekistan for concerts etc., 3,000,000 roubles assigned to build new musical schools and dormitory and boarding homes for the music students, and an additional 3,000,000 roubles granted to the Uzbek Committee on Art to promote the work of Art in Uzbekistan. Besides, all the expenses of the Uzbek Art Festival in Moscow, have been borne by the Government, and all its participants awarded an amount equal to two months salary.

There can be no doubt that under such warm support by the State and under its direct care, the work of art in Uzbekistan and other parts of the U.S.S.R will still further progress by leaps and bounds.

ALLEGED POSSESSION OF COMMUNIST LITERATURE

Case Against Youth Commences In Lucknow

LUCKNOW, June 27.

The first hearing of the case against Ashutosh Ganguli who was arrested in Lucknow in April last by the local police for having in his possession some alleged Communist literature, was taken up on Saturday last in the court of Mr. Sapru, First Class Magistrate, Lucknow.

It will be recalled that Ganguli had gone to the Railway Parcel Office to take delivery of a box which was later found containing Communist literature and he was arrested by the police. He has been charged under Section 17 (I) and (II) Criminal Law Amendment Act and under Section 18 of the Indian Press Act.

The first prosecution witness, the Sub-Inspector who affected the arrest, deposed in his evidence that following were the titles of the circulars, books and leaflets which were found in the box at the time of the search: The Communist Vol. 1 and 2; one cyclostyled pink leaflet entitled 'Working Underground'; 'The Road to Power'; 12 books entitled 'Communist Manifesto'; 6 books entitled 'Bolshevik'; 421 printed pamphlets entitled 'Dunyaki Mazdoor ek ho jao'; one Hindi book named 'Lenin aur hamari Azadi-ki-Larai'; 4 printed leaflets in Hindi entitled 'Communist Party Ka Elan'; 65 Hindi copies of the book entitled 'Log Zindagi Kaise Basar Karte Hain': and a manuscript article in Hindi and Urdu entitled 'Chingari.'

Three prosecution witnesses in all were examined that day.—United Press.

SIND HARIJAN SEVAK SANGH

Deputation To Wait On Govt. To Urge Grants

KARACHI, June 26.

Harijan Sewak Sangha has appointed an influential committee of three persons to interview the members of the Cabinet and all the members of the Sind Assembly with a view to gaining support to their proposal for grants to Harijan institutions in the province.

Interviewed in this connection the secretary of the Sangha said the condition of these institutions was very precarious and they were in great need of money. He added there were about 30 institutions attended by about 700 students including fifty girls. The Sangha spent about Rs. 10,000 per year for maintaining them. He proposed that provision of Rs. 50,000 should be made in the budget for the present year which will be discussed by the forthcoming session of the Assembly.

Comparing the work done by these institutions with that done by similar schools the secretary added Harijan institutions were doing most valuable work for Harijan boys. During the previous year they had sent two boys for higher studies in colleges.—A. P.

GANG OF COUNTER-FEITERS DETECTED

(From A Correspondent.)

AKOLA, June 29.

What is believed to be a widespread conspiracy for counterfeiting and uttering the King's coins was detected by Sub-Inspector K. M. Nasiruddin of the Excise Special Preventive Staff, Akola on 24th inst., in Akola Town (Berar). Of the three suspects one is believed to come from Bhopal a fact which gives rise to the suspicion that the activities of the gang are not confined to this Province.

The search of the house where the gang worked was carried out by Excise S. I. Nasiruddin along with Sub-Inspector M. Abdur Rahman of the City Police, Akola: and counterfeit coins together with dice and other material were recovered as also contraband opium smoking articles.

The accused have been remanded to custody by the City Magistrate, Akola.

THE GUN THAT WENT OFF!

LUCKNOW, June 28.

Two women and two girls were wounded by gunshots this morning while they were sitting outside the servants' quarters of a Bungalow in Shahnajaf Road. It is reported to the police that a man in a Bungalow opposite was chasing a rabbit when his gun went off with the above result. The injured persons were removed to hospital.—A. P.

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Latest Commercial News

NEW YORK COTTON 4 POINTS DOWN

Button And Wheat Stronger But Base Metals Easy

BOMBAY, June 29

On Tuesday cross rates ruled quiet. There was no dealing in French francs.

GOOD LOCAL BUYING IN NEW YORK COTTON

New York cotton opened easy owing to the French financial crisis but prices rallied later on good local buying.

BULLION STRONGER

London silver prices ruled higher.

WHEAT STRONGER

Wheat was stronger on reports of drought and damage. Base metals were easy.

SECURITIES STEADY

The Stock Exchange was unsettled by the obscurity over the French monetary situation. Giltedged securities kept steady with slight variations.

COTTON

EXCHANGES

LATEST NEW YORK COTTON PRICES

OCTOBER 1937

New York, June 29

Previous closing	12.24
To-day's opening	12.12
Difference	—12
To-day's closing	12.20
Difference	—04

LIVERPOOL COTTON

OCTOBER 1937

Liverpool, June 29

Previous closing	6.87
To-day's opening	6.84
Difference	—03
To-day's closing	6.82
Difference	—05

EXPECTATION

July August	Rs. 222-8
New April	Rs. 232-8

N. Y. COTTON MARKET

New York, June 29

Cotton opened considerable easiness as a result of French financial crisis which brought about considerable liquidation from all quarters which depressed the market allround but subsequently prices rallied on good support appearing on declines.

Trading in October commenced at 12.12 i.e. 4 points lower than previous closing. Prices declined on lower Liverpool cables and Wall Street, commission house and foreign liquidation but lower levels attracted good local support which caused a rally. October rising to 12.20 with a better tendency.

New York cotton futures closed at 12.20 with a decline of 4 points for October delivery.

NEW YORK COTTON

New York, June 29

The following were the opening ranges:—

July (12.25/12.25) 12.03/12.02
October (12.26/12.26) 12.13/12.12
December (12.21/12.21) 12.11/12.10

LIVERPOOL COTTON

Liverpool, June 29

American July (6.79) 6.73
American October (6.85) 6.79
Egyptian June (9.49) 9.38
Egyptian July (9.59) 9.48

BROACH COTTON

Bombay, June 29

Broach cotton for New April May delivery moved between Rs. 232-12 and Rs. 231-4 at night. The closing rate at 9-30 p.m. was Rs. 232-12. Old Broach July August delivery was Rs. 10 lower.

LONDON MARKETS

London, June 29

The rates at 3-30 p.m. were as follows:—

TEA

Indian Pekoe (1-1 3/4) 1-1 3/4
Indian Pekoe higher (1-8) 1-8
Ceylon Pekoe (1-2) 1-2
Ceylon Pekoe higher (1-7) 1-7

JUTE

New Crop June July (£20 3/8 paid and value) £20 3/8 sellers
Dunlop June (£23 1/2) £23 1/2 sellers
Lightning June (£21 3/4 sellers) £21 3/4 sellers.

LINSEED

Castorseed Bombay May June (£14 5/16 sellers) £14 3/8 sellers
Linseed Calcutta May June (£14 5/8 sellers) £14 5/8 sellers
Linseed La Plata May June (£13 1/16 sellers) £13 sellers
Groundnuts Coromandal May June (£14 5/8 sellers) £14 5/8 sellers

RUBBER

Spot (9 3/4 value) 9 7/16 buyers
Forward July September (9 7/8 paid and sellers) 9 9/16 paid and buyers

LIVERPOOL WHEAT

Liverpool, June 29

Liverpool wheat opened firm with July at 111 and October 110 1/2. The market was very active on general buying and covering influenced by drought reports in Canada and ruse damage in United States with good business passing.

CHICAGO WHEAT

Chicago, June 29

Chicago wheat opened steady with July at 1.19 1/2. Prices continued to advance on commission house buying and good outside demand influenced by unfavourable crop news from both at home and abroad, with July rising to 1.20 3/4.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

New York, June 29

To-day's opening rates were as follows:—

General Motors (dol 50 5/8) dol 48 1/2
Anaconda Copper Mining (dol 52) dol 50 3/8
U S Steel Common (dol 98 1/4) dol 95 1/4
U S Steel Preference (dol 133 1/2) dol 128 1/8

LONDON-NEW YORK CROSS RATES

Latest Quotations

T. T. NEW YORK ON LONDON

New York, June 29

Previous closing	4.93 1/16
To-day's opening	4.93 1/4
To-day's closing	4.93 1/16

T. T. LONDON ON NEW YORK

London, June 29

Previous closing	4.93.07
To-day's opening	4.93.05
To-day's closing	4.93.12

FRANC RATE

London, June 29

Previous closing	110.53
To-day's opening	closed
To-day's closing	closed

LONDON EXCHANGES

London, June 29

London exchanges opened with the sterling dollar at 4.93.05 and then eased to 4.93.00 on absence of support but subsequently the rate rallied to 4.93.15 on scattered buying.

The sterling dollar cross rate closed at 4.93.12.

CROSS RATES

London on Bombay (1-6 1/8) 1-6 1/8
Paris on Bombay (8.344) no dealing
New York on Bombay (37.30) 37.29
Berlin on Bombay (0,93) 0.92 7/8
London on Milan (93.75) 93.74
London on Shanghai (1-2 7/16) 1-2 7/16.
London on Kobe (1-1 31/32) 1-1 31/32

DISCOUNTS

3 months (11/16 to 11/16 per cent) 11/16 to 11/16 per cent
4 months (5/8 to 11/16 per cent) 5/8 to 11/16 per cent
6 months (5/8 to 11/16 per cent) 5/8 to 11/16 per cent

LONDON METALS

To-day's opening rates were as follows:—

Tin (£255 1/2 buyers £255 3/4 sellers. Steady) £253 1/4 buyers £253 3/4 sellers and quiet.
Lead (£23 buyers £23 1/8 sellers and firm) £23 3/16 buyers £23 1/4 sellers and easy
Electrolytic Copper (£62 1/2 to £64) £61 to £63
Glasgow Iron (£87) £87

SILVER CABLES

Bombay, June 29

The following cable information was received from London to-night:

"China sold. Speculators bought. Buyers satisfied. Business small. Market quietly steady."

LONDON SILVER

London, June 29

Spot	19 15/16d.	20d.
Forward	20d.	20d.

LONDON GOLD

London, June 29

Gold Bars Fine per ounce (£7-0-3) £7-0-9

BOMBAY BULLION

Bombay, June 29

10 p.m.

Silver ready		51	13 0
Silver 1st settlement	Ashad	51	15 0
Silver 2nd settlement	Shravan	52	1 0
Gold ready		34	11 6
Gold 1st settlement	Ashad	34	10 0
Gold 2nd settlement	Shravan	34	8 0
Sovereigns		22	1 3

LIVERPOOL WHEAT

Closing Quotation

Liverpool, June 29

Liverpool wheat July closed at 113 1/8 as against the previous closing at 106 5/8

WHEAT AND LINSEED

Closing Quotations

Bombay, June 29

Wheat September	5 10 6
Wheat January	5 14 3
Wheat May	5 10 9
Linseed September	8 3 3
Linseed May	8 4 0

The tone was steady.

BROWN ROLD LINSEED

(Through Bombay Grains and Seeds Association.)

Delivery Sept 1937

Bombay, June 29

	Rs.	a.	p.
Rates at 9-0 a.m.	8	3	0
Rates at 12-0 noon	8	4	3
Rates at 3-0 p.m.	8	3	9
Rates at 6-0 p.m.	8	3	6

3½ P. C. GOVT PAPER

Closing Quotation

Bombay, June 29

The 3 1/2 pe. cent Government paper was quoted at Rs. 94-11 at 2 p.m. The closing quotation at 5 p.m. was Rs. 94-10.

Fluctuations during the sessions were as follows:—

	Rs.	a.	p.
Opening	94	13	0
Highest	94	13	0
Lowest	94	10	0
Closing	94	10	0

INDIAN STERLING LOAN

London, June 29

The 3 1/2 per cent Indian Sterling Loan closed at £89 3/4 as against the previous closing at the same rate.

INDIAN LOANS

London, June 29

2-30 p.m.

3 per cent Indian Loan (£98 1/2) £98 1/2
3 1/2 per cent Indian Loan (£89 1/2) £89 1/2
4 1/2 per cent Indian Stock (1950-55) (£111 1/4) £111 1/2
4 1/2 per cent 1958-68 (£113 1/2) £113 1/2
4 per cent Indian 1948-53 (£105 3/4) £105 1/2
5 per cent Indian 1942-47 (£111) £111
3 1/2 per cent New Indian 1954-59 (£101 1/2) £101 1/2

AUSTRALIAN LOANS

3 per cent Australian Loan 1945-75 (£106) £105 5/8

BRITISH FUNDS

2 1/2 per cent Consols (£74 3/8) £74 5/8
3 1/2 per cent Government Loan (£100) £99 7/8
4 1/2 per cent Conversion Loan (£105 1/2) £105 1/2
5 per cent Funding Loan (£109 5/8) £109 1/2
3 1/2 per cent War Loan (£100) £99 7/8
4 per cent Victory Bonds (£108 1/4) £108 1/8

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

London, June 29

2-30 p.m.

Markets generally were unsettled by the obscurity of the French monetary situation. Kaffirs after being weaker were rather steadier. Home industrials were dull and easier.

INDUSTRIALS

Standard Motors (133-9) 132-6
Marks and Spencer Ordinary (71-3) 70-10 1/2
Hydro Electric (£8 1/4) £8
Musical Industries (2-6) 20-3
Princhin Johnson (43-1 1/2) 42-9
Imperial Chemical (37-1 1/2) 36-9
Woolsworth Ordinary (76-0) 74-0
Realisation 1930 (£97 1/4) £97 1/4
Dunlop Rubber (33-7 1/2) 33-4 1/2
Unilever Ordinary (40-3) 40-0
Ford Motor 26-9) 26-9
Cables and Wireless (£6 1/8) £6 1/2
British American Tobacco (124-4 1/2) 123-9
Carreas A (£8 1/2) £8 1/2
Imperial Tobacco Ordinary (152-6) 151-10 1/2
P and O S N Company Deferred (31-6) 31-6
Distillers (114-0) 113-0
Bredfords Dyers (£7 5/8) £7 3/4
British Celanese (£7 3/8) £7 1/2
J and P Coates Ordinary (47-3) 47-0
Courtaulds Ordinary (52-3) 51-10 1/2
Fine Cotton Spinners (9-4 1/2) 9-4 1/2
Vickers Limited Ordinary (28-6) 28-4 1/2
Inter Nickels (59-0) 57-3
Indian Iron and Steel Ordinary (67-6) 66-6
Tata Steel Preference (£103 1/2) £103 1/2

TEA SHARES

Assam Company (19-0) 19-0
Donaro Tea (46-3) 46-3
Empire of India (30-7 1/2) 30-9

RUBBER SHARES

Anglo Dutch Rubber (40-9) 39-7 1/2
Gula Kelampong (41-3) 41-3
Rubber Plant Inv Trust (38-9) 38-0

JUTES SHARES

Barnagore (£9) £9

MINING SHARES

Nandydrug (52-6) 51-10 1/2
Burma Corporation (17-6) 17-4 1/2
Rio Tintos (£19 1/2) £18 3/4
East Rand Proprietors (60-0) 60-0
Rand Mines (£6 7/8) £7 1/4

MINE SHARES

Crown Mines (£12 1/2) £12 1/4
Associated Portland Cements (91-3) 91-3
Trinidad Leaseholds (132-6) 131-3
Sub Nigel (£9 1/2) £9 1/2
Spring Mines Split Shares (31-3) 31-3
Union Corporation (£7 7/8) £7 7/8

OIL SHARES

Venezuela Persian (£48 3/4) £48 1/8
Anglo Iranian (122-6) 121-3
Burma Oil (118-9) 118-9
Musical Eagle (18-9) 18-1 1/2
Shell Transport (110-0) 108-1 1/2
Royal Dutch (£47 1/4) £46 1/2

HOME RAIL SHARES

Great Western (£63 1/4) £63 1/2
L and S Ordinary (£33 3/4) £33 1/2
L N E R Defd (£5 1/8) £5
£22
Southern Paris 5 per cent (£22 5/8) 1/2
London Paris 5 per cent (£126) £126
London Transport 'C' Stock (£81) £79 3/4

American Cotton Crop

Liverpool, June 29

Slightly cooler. Light to moderate rainfall in the entire Belt. Heavy rains in Georgia and West Texas entire Belt partly cloudy.

PARIS BOURSE CLOSED

Little Effect On London Stock Exchange

(SPECIAL CABLE)

LONDON, June 29

On the Stock Exchange the decision to close the Paris Bourse had little effect beyond further restricting business. Some Kaffirs and Diamonds were marked down at the outset in anticipation of Paris selling here, but recovered when this did not materialise.

Interest in commodities was overshadowed by strength of wheat which staged the sharpest rise for 15 years following an overnight advance in the north American markets.

In the foreign exchanges, owing to the situation in Paris, the London Brokers Committee has suspended all dealings in francs until further notice.

Wall Street is improving after easiness.

AHMEDABAD SHARE MARKET

Ahmedabad, June 29

Following are the closing quotations of Ahmedabad share bazar of 29th instant:

Aryodaya Spinning	220
Calico	591-14
Jubili	206-14
Marsdan	82-4
Motilal Hirabhai	53-12
Monogram	57-8
Rajanagar	331-4

FURTHER SETBACK IN JUTE SHARES

Indian Iron Easy

CALCUTTA, June 29

In Jutes there was further setback in prices amongst speculative stocks, while business in other stocks also was very much restricted. In coals Parasees were fairly asked for while others were more or less unchanged. Teas were practically neglected. In miscellaneous Indian Iron and Steels and Burmas opened steady, but eased off as day progressed. Others disclosed no special feature. Government securities were steady at decline. Following were the closing quotations.

Government securities: Three per cent loan 1951/54 101/4 small lot; three per cent G P 84/12; Three and half per cent G P 94/10; five per cent loan 1940/43 107/14 small lot; five per cent loan 1939/44 105/10 small odd lot; four per cent bonds 1948 107/2 small lot; three per cent U P 1961/66 97/2 small odd lot.

Bank: Reserve Bank 126/4

Railway: Baraset Basirmat 51

Cottons: Bengal Luxmi 50; Kesoram 6/10; New Victoria ordy 1/4; Elgin Mills ordy 105/8

Coals: Bengal 300; Burrakur 15/4; Burra-Dhemo 3/5; Jainty Central 1/4; Kuardi 1/3; Parsea 1/11; Pench Valley 38/4 ex div; Satpukuria and Asansol 1/2; Singaran B 1/12; Talcher 2/2

Jutes: Agarpara 18/4; Baily 168 small lot; Barnagore 130; Belvedere 358 small lot; Birla pref 116/8; Clive 24/8; Fort William 229/8; Howrah 50/13; India 304; Kamarhatty 508; National 22/6 small lot; Nuddea 42/8; Reliance 65.

Miscellaneous: Burma Corpn 11/8; Consolidated 6/4; Indian Copper 3/3; Rhodesia Copper 2/12; Patna Elec 18/4 4; British India Elec Const 7/4; Indian St Wagon ordy 65; Steel Corpn ordy 8/8; do pref 91; Associated Hotel pref 92 small lot; Dunlop Rubber ordy 17, Indian Wood Products 26/12; Titaghur Paper defd 10/7 cum div; do five per cent pref Rs. 50; paid up 51 cum div; Indian Genl Navigation ordy 114;

Teas: Bishnauth 23/12; Hattikhira 21/8;

Debentures: Three quarter per cent 1956/66 Howrah Bridge 101/8 small lot; three three fourth per cent 1935/65 Calcutta Port Trust 103.—A. P.

KARACHI FOREIGN TRADE

Both Imports And Exports Show Increase

SIMLA, June 26.

The statistics of the foreign trade of the port of Karachi (including trade with Burma) for May 1937 show that the total value of imports (merchandise) amounted to Rs. 1.59 crores, an increase of Rs. 53 lakhs, and that of exports to Rs. 3.33 crores, an increase of Rs. 1.76 crores, as compared with the figures for May, 1936. The progressive totals for the two months, April and May, 1937, show an increase of Rs. 1.27 crores or 56 per cent under imports and an increase of Rs. 2.63 crores, or 65 per cent under exports.—United Press.

TENDERS FOR TREASURY BILLS

Tenders for Rs. One Crore of three months' Treasury Bills were opened on Tuesday the 29th June 1937. Total amount offered was Rs. 1,71,50,000. Tenders at Rs. 99-12-3 were allotted approximately 95 per cent. Lower tenders were rejected. Total amount accepted was Rs. 1,00,00,000, the average rate of accepted tender being Rs. 0-15-0 per cent per anum.

Tenders for Rs. One Crore of three months' Treasury Bills will be received on Tuesday, the 6th July 1937. Successful tenderers should make payment on Friday, the 9th July 1937. Other conditions are as usual.

During the week ended the 25th June 1937, Treasury Bills for Rs. 1,11,00,000 were sold in favour of the Issue Department of the Reserve Bank of India.

SQUALLY WEATHER IN CITY

Fierce Gale Accompanied By Slight Drizzle

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

Squally weather conditions prevailed late last night. A fierce gale swept along, accompanied by slight drizzles. In the morning, the skies remained cloudy, but the atmosphere was sultry.

It is stated a depression has formed on the eastern horizon and is slowly moving towards the Central Provinces. It is expected Bombay may have more rain, within the next two days.

For the 24 hours ending at 8 a.m., to-day, 40 cents of rain was recorded at Colaba, 38 cents at St. George's Hospital, 18 cents at J. J. Hospital, Byculla and 20 cents at the Technological Laboratory, Matunga.

Rainfall recorded since at 1st of June, is 18.27 inches at Colaba (72 cents above normal), 28 inches in the Fort area, 23.49 inches at Byculla and 21.25 inches at Matunga.

Maximum temperature for the 24 hours ending at 8 a.m., to-day was 85.7 degrees (normal) and minimum temperature was 78.4 degrees, one degree above normal.

MONSOON VIGOROUS IN CENTRAL INDIA

Heavy Rain Forecast For C. P., Rajputana And Gujarat

POONA, June 29.

The depression near Pendra yesterday lies this morning near Jubbulpore. It caused vigorous monsoon in the central parts of the country. The monsoon has also been vigorous in Burma, strong in the north Madras coast and active along the west coast of the peninsula and in north Hyderabad.

Rainfall has been fairly widespread in east Rajputana, east and north Punjab, West United Provinces and Chota Nagpur, local in Orissa, Bengal and Assam and occurred at a few stations in Bombay Deccan and south Hyderabad. Scattered thundershowers have also occurred along the northwest Frontier and in Kashmir.

Temperatures were appreciably above the normal in Kashmir and below normal in the west Central Provinces.

AMOUNTS OF RAINFALL

The Chief Amounts of Rainfall Are:—Raipur seven inches; Mergui, Pachmarhi and Saugor six; Diamond Island and Jubbulpore five; Hoshangabad, Seoni and Ajmer four; Dehra Dun, Bhopal, Akola, Amraoti, Nagpur, Mussoorree, Ambala Marmagao, Mercara three; Victoria Point, Rasein Indore, Rawalpindi, Maheshwa two; Tavoy Amherst, Gwa, Myitkyina, Cox's Bazar, Jhansi, Khandwa, Cochin, Calingapatam one and a half; Brijnagar one.

FORECAST:

Monsoon will be strong in Burma, central parts of the country, Gujarat and Konkan and active in Malabar. Rainfall will extend and increase in north Deccan, Rajputana, West United Provinces, the Punjab, Kashmir and the northwest Frontier Province and occur locally in Chota Nagpur, Orissa, Bengal, Assam and north Madras coast.

HEAVY RAINFALL WARNING

Heavy rain is likely to continue locally in west central Provinces, west Central India and extend in east Gujarat and east Rajputana within the next forty-eight hours.—A. P.

COLABA OBSERVATORY, BOMBAY.

Summary of Meteorological Observations during 24 hours ending 8 a.m. of 29-6-1937.

Change of 8 a.m. barometer in past 24 hours plus .015 inches
Temperature (dry bulb) at 8-0 a. m. 81.5 degrees
Temperature (wet bulb) at 8-0 a. m. 78.0 degrees
Maximum temperature during 24 hrs 85.7 degrees 0.5 (below normal)
Minimum temperature during 24 hrs 78.4 degrees 1.3 (above normal)
Relative humidity at 8 a.m. 85 per cent
Direction of wind at 8 a.m. WSW
Velocity of wind at 8 a.m. 15 miles per hour
Total movement of wind in 24 hours 243 miles
Velocity of maximum gust of wind during 24 hours 42 miles per hour
Extent of cloud at 8 a.m. (the whole sky cloudy eq 10) 10
Rain in 24 hours 0.40 inches
Total rainfall during the month 18.27 inches
Total rainfall during the year 18.83 inches
Weather remark: Rain and squally

OFFICIAL BAROMETER READING DATED 29-6-37

At 8-7 a.m. local time (8-46 a.m. Indian Standard Time) and temperature 83.0 deg. F., a mercury barometer without index error at mean sea level would actually read 29.79 inches and a compensated aneroid 29.59 inches

For correction of ships' instruments please subtract from the above official barometer reading 0.001" for every foot of elevation of the instrument above mean sea level.

SHIPPING NEWS

ARRIVALS

Bombay, June 29

Scindia ss Jalamohan of 3146 reg tons Captain F R Cranby arrived from Rangoon via Colombo, Cochin and Calicut with cargo of rice.

B I S N ss Surada of 3382 reg tons, Captain D A Bell arrived from Bassein via Rangoon, Colombo, Galle, Tuticorin, Cochin and Calicut with rice, tea and general cargo.

L Triestino ss Dandolo of 2949 reg tons, Captain F Oriowin arrived from Trieste, via Fuime, Brindisi, Naples, Portsaid, Suez, Massowa and Aden with general cargo.

DEPARTURES

B I S N ss Gambada of 3252 reg tons, Captain G H Johnson sailed for Calcutta in water ballast

L Edwards ss Rotenfels of 4854 reg tons, Captain H R Rasje sailed for Antwerp, Rotterdam, Hamburg and Bremen with passengers, local and same bottom cargo.

LOADING

The following vessels booked for loading on 29-6-37.

S S Trautenfels (L E) for Europe and American Ports via Karachi, Marmagoa, Okha and Bedi Bunder, Kundla, Bhavnagar.

Vessels In Docks

Bombay, June 29

ALEXANDRA DOCK

2 Meigen Maru 3383 Marmagoa 30-6 M B Kaisha
3 India Maru 4254 Karachi 30-6 O S K
5 C/Barcelona 3524 Karachi 2-7 K Nixon
6 City of Kobe 2743 Karachi 2-7 J Finlay
7 Elysia 4211 Karachi 2-7 Anchor Line
10 Konya 4646 Durban 7-7 M M
11 Calcutta Maru 3214 Kundla 1-7 N Y Kaisha
12 Mirzapore 4135 Japan 6-7 M M
14 Rotenfels 4854 Antwerp 29-6 L E
15 Gloria Stella 2941 Trieste 30-6 L Triestino

VICTORIA DOCK

2 Dandolo 2949 Karachi 30-6 L Triestino
3 Bankura 1896 P Gulf 30-6 M M
4 Varsova 1955 Busrah 1-7 M M
7 Gamaria 3232 Karachi 30-6 M M
9 Pasha 3196 Rangoon 4-7 T Morrison
10/11 Gambada 3252 Calcutta 29-6 M M
12/13 Chyebassa 4022 Calcutta 3-7 M M
14 Janaki 536 Malabar Coast 30-6 Malabar Steamship
15 Oostcappelle 348 Malabar Coast 29-6 Merchant S N

PRINCES DOCK

B Jalamohan 3146 Calcutta 1-7 Scindia S N
F Irrawadi 634 Bedi Bunder N F B S N
K Vasna 2026 N F N F M M

STEAMERS EXPECTED

FROM LONDON

Rajputana 8-7-37 P and O
Cathay 1-7-37 P and O
Narkunda 15-7-37 P and O
Nowshera 6-7-37 M M
Ranpura 22-7-37 P and O

FROM LIVERPOOL

City of Venice 3-7-37 K Nixon
Clan Ross 30-6-37 James Finlay
Clan Skene 13-7-37 James Finlay

FROM NEW YORK

City of Khios 8-7-37 F F Campbell
Fairfield City 1-7-37 M M
Sawokla 8-7-37 L Edwards

FROM SYDNEY

Chitral 3-7-37 P and O

FROM CHINA AND JAPAN

Jeypore 30-6-37 P and O
Italy Maru 18-7-37 N Y Kaisha
Calcutta Maru 25-6-37 N Y
Anyo Maru 30-6-37 N Y K
Bangalore 4-7-37 M M
Toyama Maru 22-7-37 N Y K

FROM OSLO

Tijuca 1-7-37 Lionel Edward

FROM BASRA

Barpeta 1-7-37 M M
Vita 3-7-37 M M
Bandra 8-7-37 M M

FROM RANGOON

Goalpara 2-7-37 M M
Gamaria 30-6-37 M M

FROM JAVA

Silverbeech 30-6-37 Volkart Bros

FROM DURBAN

Tairea 10-7-37 M M

FROM KARACHI

Warfield 2-7-37 M M

FROM CALCUTTA

Barala 2-7-37 M M

SAILING DATES

FOR LONDON

Chitral 3-7-37 P and O
Naidera 10-7-37 S S N
Maloja 17-7-37 P and O
Carthage 24-7-37 P and O
Warfield 7-7-37 M M
Bangalore 9-7-37 M M

FOR HAMBURG

Rotenfels 29-6-37 L Edward

FOR LIVERPOOL

City of Cantenbury 7-7-37 K N
Elysia 14-7-37 Anchor Line
Britannia 30-7-37 Anchor Line

FOR SYDNEY

Cathay 1-7-37 P and O

FOR NEW YORK

Silverbeech 2-7-37 Volkart Bros.
Pres Hayes 9-7-37 F F Campbell
Pres Monroe 23-7-37 F F Campbell

FOR CHINA AND JAPAN

India Maru 9-7-37 O S Kaisha
Anyo Maru 16-7-37 N Y Kaisha
India Maru 9-7-37 O S K
Anyo Maru 16-7-37 N Y K
Rajputana 8-7-37 P and O

FOR BASRA

Bankura 30-6-37 M M
Barala 7-7-37 M M
Vita 8-7-37 M M
Varsova 1-7-37 M M

FOR TRIESTE

Conte Rosso 8-7-37 Lloyd Triestino

FOR RANGOON

Jalavimar 28-6-37 Scindia S N

FOR DURBAN

Kenya 1-7-37 M M
Tairea 21-7-37 M M

FOR KARACHI

Calcutta Maru 29-6-37 N Y Kaisha
Anyo Maru 3-7-37 N Y Kaisha
Trautenfels 3-7-37 L Edward

GENERAL LANDING DATES

S S India Maru 26-6-37
S S Calcutta Maru 28-6-37.
S S Alberto Treves 25-6-37
S S Irrawadi 28-6-37
S S Sonavati 28-6-37
S S Gambada 28-6-37
S S Varsova 28-6-37
S S Gamaria 28-6-37
S S Janaki 28-6-37
S S Oostcappelle 28-6-37

EXPORTS

S S Elysia for Liverpool: 28 bales wool raw H A Mahomed; 7 cases upper leather D Abraham

For Manchester: 282 bales cotton waste M Chandulal; 62 bales cotton Ralli Bros; 125 bales cotton A Clayton; 125 drums castor oil to Gujarat Oil Mill and Mfg; 21 es cotton fly L O Vora; 100 bales cotton twist waste L O Vora.

For Marseilles: 25 bales cotton waste M Chandulal; 28 bales cotton T Laxmidas; 70 bales hemp raw jute sim; 15 jottas dried rose pow T Dayall

For Montreal: 17 bales woolpa cox and Kings (Agents)

S S India Maru for Kobe: 5 es cotton raw Ralli Bros;

For Moji: 200 bales cotton raw Kaisha

For Osaka: 100 bales cotton raw Tulshan.

S S City of Barcelona for Lio: 100 bales cotton waste Thakor 12 bales cotton twist waste L O

For Antwerp: 54 bales cotton raham.

For Dunkirk: 45 bales cotton Textile Products (India).

S S Rotenfels for Hamburg: gum T Laxmidas; 144 bales co L O Vora

For Rotterdam: 58 bags kanun P Devji

For Istambul: 100 bags black L Vasanji

For Kingston: 50 bags g nuts ganial.

S S Trautenfels for Rotterda bags groundnut oil cake A Oomy; 58 bags karag grain P Devji

For Yokkaichi: 500 bales cottw G K Kaisha

S S Mirzapore for Nagoya: ins iron scraps M G Abdulhusein; 35s cotton raw Ralli Bros.

For Yokkaichi: 500 bales cottw G K Kaisha

For Osaka: 650 bales cotton ra li Bros; 200 bales cotton raw ton; 300 bales cotton raw A C 1000 bales cotton raw G K Kais

For Kobe: 200 bales cotton ra Jethabhai; 500 bales cotton ra kart Bros; 153 bales cotton ra Dossa; 2732 bales cotton raw N Mills; 800 bales cotton raw Langley.

For Moji: 300 bales cotton raw ley.

S S Silverbeech for New York bags talc powder D Abraham; 20s fermel seeds D Abraham; 193 bas seeds D Abraham; 26 bales goats D Abraham; 458 bags gum N Mu bales jute rags Patel Co; 310 bal ton fly M E Bode; 14 cases rosa Nowroji; 110 bales hemp cutting C Nanalal; 27 bags gum A Vi cases assafoetida M J and M M

For Philadelphia: 89 bales woo C Lister; 158 bales wool raw D ham; 238 casks goat skins D Abr

For Boston: 106 bales goat skin Abraham; 300 bales cotton raw chand.

For Baltimore: 110 bags sesamu D Abraham;

For New Orleans: 88 bales jute Patel Co.

IMPORTS

S S Gambada Agents M Mac from Bassein: 155939 bags rice

From Cochin: 100 kollies hooks 116 bales raw cotton; 26 bundles fee; 200 bags cocoanuts; 12 chests 34 cases corr colt folding.

S S Ormara Agents M Mac from Calcutta: 2559 bags rice; tons coal; 2500 bags sugar; 502 tea; 125 cases cigarettes; 175 bales sian cloth; 126 drums paint; 199 varnish; 50 tons earth oil; 194 gunny bags; 80 bales straw board bags beteinuts; 155 bags banjawal packages spun yarn; 177 cases shoes, 157 cases cotton canvas 450 cases lubg grease; 149 cases phone goods; 38 cases brass locks cases printed tinned sheets; 30 brass circles; 30 cases metal; 20s playing cards; 82 packages jute yarn; 50 packages soap; 52 drums lead; 200 drums coal tar; 120 mawha oil; 25 apckages hydrosu of soda; 50 barrels beta bloomles; 100 barrels 695 Axle oil; 5400 fire bricks; 109 cases steel tubes pipes cast iron pipes; 1492 pieces iron fittings; 130 coils yellow ro

S S Tokiwa Maru Agents N Y sha from Yokohama: 25 cases silk yarn; 243 cases silk goods 234 cases silk and rayon mixed goods; 59 cases rayon goods; 425s rayon and cotton mixed pieces; 350 drums bleaching powder; 75s rayon yarn; 50 packages plywood 5 cases elec fans; 90 cases transm conductor; 78 cases German silv 6 cases brass wire.

From Moji: 200 bags glass 81 350 cases beer;

From Shanghai: 372 bales board; 2179 bags green beans; 29s green tea.

From Hongkong: 95 bales raw; 73 cases elect goods

From Canton: 30 bales raw silk 50 bundles cassia; 128 cases porcelare.

From Yokkaichi: 75 cases cash ware.

From Tokyo: 300 cases grey mixed cotton yarn; 46 cases artificial 132 cases toys; 37 cases glassware

From Nagoya: 50 cases twisted yarn; 44 cases rayon yarn; 241 ases glassware; 370 cases porcelare; 177 cases earthenware glazed ti

From Colombo: 8338 bags coc 100 bundles mattress fibre.

From Singapore: 894 bags bets; 420 bags sago flour; 518 bundles; 153 bundles pine apples; 1043 battans; 77 bundles damar batu.

From Cochin: 24 rods coir ma.

S S Pres. Garfield Agents F Campbell from San Francisco: 128 cases fruits and juices; 36 cases dr 167 cts elect fans; 36 cases cud es; 25 cases cud prunes; 11 cases curs; 17 cases tins of coffee; 15 cases cud pine apples.

From Singapore: 1593 bags bets; 1173 bags sago flour

From Penang: 336 bags pearl sa; 30 cases gum; 25 slabs refined 93 bags beteinuts

From Los Angles: 300 bales on; 100 bags borax; 18 cases lacquer ox es oranges;

From Kobe: 40 cases thrown 25 cases rayon yarn;

From Shanghai: 100 bags grasses; 21 bales raw silk; 47 cases silk yarn

From Manila: 179 bars bars iver

From Colombo: 32 bales ma bre; 24 chests tea

Narr Trading In N. Y. Cotton Market

BUYS HESITANT AND SELLERS CAUTIOUS

Weat Favourable Over U. S. Cotton Belt

Bombay, June 29.

On Monday ing in the New York Cotton marke uninteresting with speculators ht on the buying side due to favou crop prospects out equally cautio the selling owing to the mark sistance to bearish influence. Dither seems to have set in which elieved to check Boll Weevil activ

The markened quiet with trading confined y to local operations pending new lopments. Prices sagged in sym with the stock and grain market later rallied on covering by short a little trade buying in sympathy wheat but the advance met Street liquidation. The Spot C market was very quiet.

Prices open a rise of 2 points with Octobe 6 but declined 8 points from opening level with October 12.1ich was the lowest level for th Later on there was short coverid prices advanced 15 points from owest level and October was qui2.33 which was the highest leve Wall Street selling again deprene market which closed unchang 6 points down. Spot Cotton pricedined 6 points at 12.70 s. per lb.

NEW EANS MARKET.

The New ns cotton futures market was quid closed at a deMine of 4 to 8 Spot Cotton prices were reduc points at 12.47c. per lb.

LIVDL MARKET.

The Live Cotton futures market opened at ane of 3 points with October 6.8ging of outsiders met trade callid local support. Prices reacted pmbay selling the market wa quiet selling met trade callid short covering. The market clo a decline of one to two points Cotton prices declined 3 po 6.97d. per lb.

EGAN COTTON.

Egyptian n futures market was quiet and futures closed 5 points down with Cotton 5 points lower at 10.04. futures closed 1 to 3 points down Spot Cotton 4 points lower at

ALEDRIA MARKET.

The Alexia Cotton futures market was steady but price movement was ular Sakels futures closed 2 to nts up and Ashmouni futures ga to 19 points.

UP SCARES.

Messrs. ilds and Gibson state:—

Broadly ing, for the time being we would e taking profits on the Bear side quite prepared, however, to conservatively on the "short" si any material recovery. Most of sports that we hear from reliable s in America stress the point of ellent cultivation which the farm putting in this season and most that the increase in acreage is far from 15 per cent/ A few comp of excessive rain in sections o Western Belt are being circulated although warm and dry conditionndd be for the best progress of tant for the next two or three weeks cannot believe that much harm can from the present rainfall. Crops are almost sure to arise and they do, if values respond, would recommend remembering the llent start which the crop has and the many elements in the sit which are helpful towards a yield of lint per acre this comiason. As we have stated previously believe we shall experience num fluctuations and at times it easily be profitable to exert some prise on the Bull side on weak its, but selling on strong occasions a policy which appeals to us mos we think will be the best to a particularly when values show some urn.

ATE CABLES.

N. Y. Oc Highest (1-31 p.s	12.33+09
N. Y. Oc Lowest (11-50 a	12.18—06
Liverpool ber Highest	6.88
Liverpool ber Lowest	6.84—04

Messrs. ial Mehta and Co., Ltd. have rece to-day the following table inform from their Foreign Friends:—

Liverpool arket quiet. Business small. Ma awaiting some fresh development lish.

Liverpool arm weather seems to have set hich is unfavourable to the Boll-v Speculators are holding aloof. Spinners are the principal buyers.

Liverpool.—Market continues irregular trading affair. Fears July crop scares restricting selling although crop accounts at present excellent. Sentiment is very mixed.

New York.—Liverpool and trade demand offset Southern selling and hedging against foreign growths.

New York.—Market affected favourably by advance in wheat. Heavy realising at the advance. Weather generally favourable. Spinners indifferent buyers. Chicago crop estimate 14,580,000 bales."

"Continuance of good weather causing slight setback. Temperatures sufficiently high to kill boll weevil in most of the belt. Market steady with good undertone."

Messrs. Patel Brothers have received the following cable from New York Cotton Exchange Service:

Crop progress in the past week decidedly favourable with dryness high temperatures; weather forecast for next week very favourable. Yarns and cloths slow in America and abroad. World consumption continues high. International commodities firmer

Weather over U. S. Cotton Belt.—
Eastern:—Partly cloudy.
Central:—Partly scattered showers.
Western:—Partly cloudy.

NEW YORK COTTON.
New York, June 28.

July	12.20—06
October	12.24
December	12.22—02
January	12.25—01
March	12.28—03
May	12.30—02
Middling Spot	12.70—06

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.
New York, June 28

July	12.15—08
October	12.22—04
December	12.29—04
Middling Spot	12.47—06
New York 11 a.m. ranges.—	
July	12.22/12.22
October	12.24/12.24
December	12.23/12.23
Noon Call —	
July	12.18
October	12.20
December	12.18

NEW YORK COTTON DAILY STATISTICS
New York, June 28

	bales
Day's Receipts at all U. S. Ports	5,000
Day's Exports to Great Britain	4,000
Day's Exports to the Continent	3,000
Day's Exports to China and Japan	2,000

LIVERPOOL COTTON.
Liverpool, June 28

July	6.81—02
August	6.86—03
September	6.87—02
October	6.87—01
November	6.86—01
December	6.86—01
January	6.87—01
February	6.88—01
March	6.89—01
April	6.90—01
May	6.91—01
June	6.91—02
July	6.91—01
Middling Spot	6 97—03
10-12 a.m. quotations.—	
July	6.78
October	6.85

EGYPTIAN COTTON.
Liverpool, June 28.

F.G.F. SAKELLARIDIS.—	
June	9.50
July	9.60
August	9.60
September	9.70
F.G.F. Soot	10.04

INDIAN COTTON.
Liverpool, June 28.

BROACH.—	
Fully Good (Good staple)	5.93
Fine (Good staple)	6.08
Superfine (Good staple)	6.23
OUMRA.—	
Fine (No 1 staple)	5.83
Superfine (No 1 staple)	5.98
Choice (No 1 staple)	6.13
BENGAL.—	
Good	4.78
Fully Good	4.88
Fine	5.03

LONDSTOCK EXCHANGE.

Rupee paper 1/2 per cent	£71
Indian stock per cent 1948	£75 3/4
Indian stock 2 per cent 1931 or later	£89 3/4
Indian sto 1/2 per cent 1950/55	£111 1/2
Consols 2 per cent	£74 5/8
Conversion 3 1/2 per cent 1961	£100
War Loan per cent 1952	£100
Funding Lo per cent 1960/90	£109 5/8
Victory Bo per cent	£106 1/4
Chartered nk of A. and China	£15 3/8
Hongkong Shanghai Bank London	£121
National Bnk India	£42 1/2
P and O Shg Corporation	£10 1/2

LONDDISCOUNT RATE.
London, June 28.

Bank Bilmonths market rate 11/16 per co 11/16 per cent.

Bank Bilmonths market rate 5/8 per cen 11/16 per cent.

Fine Trades 3 months market rate 2 per to 2 1/2 per cent.

Fine Trades 6 months market rate 2 1/2 pnt to 3 per cent.

LON PRODUCE.
London, June 28.

Wheat Rozsanta Fe parcels	unquoted.
Wheat Barl Russo parcels May/June rs	43/9
Wheat Soutstralian parcels June rs	43/9

LONDON EXCHANGES.
London, June 28.

T. T. London on:—	
New York	4,93.07
Paris	110.53
Berlin	12.29 3/4
Madrid	87.50
Amsterdam	8,96 11/16
Brussels	29.21 3/4
Milan	93.77
Berne	21.51 3/4
Prague	141.56

Interest day to day loan 1/2 per cent to 1/2 per cent.

Interest 7 days market loan 1/2 per cent to 1/2 per cent.

LINSEED OIL.
London, June 28.

Linseed Oil Naked London per cwt June sellers	£9/6
Linseed Oil Naked London per cwt. Sept/Dec. paid	29/6

LONDON SEEDS.
London, June 28.

Linseed La Plata Hull c.i.f. ton June sellers	£13/1/3
Linseed Calcutta London c.i.f. ton June/July sellers	£14/12/6
Linseed Bombay London c.i.f. ton June/July sellers	£15/10/0
Rapeseed Toria Hull/Cont c.i.f. ton June/July sellers	£14/15/0
Castorseed Bombay Hull c.i.f. ton June/July sellers	£14/8/3

NEW YORK COFFEE
New York, June 28.

Fair Rio Coffee (No 7 quality)	9 1/4

BOMBAY COTTON

Bombay, June 29

Following unchanged New York cotton quotations the local market opened to-day at Rs. 234 for Broach A/M. delivery and in the absence of any important buying prices declined to Rs. 233/8 while Broach J/A. was quoted at Rs. 223/8. It appears that there is ess disposition to buy as European political situation seems unfavourable and latest Italian advices made the market nervous Private U. S. crop estimates show a crop of 14 1/2 million bales

Liverpool market was due to open one point down but it opened 3 points lower and later was quoted 4 points down. In the local market there was some selling and Broach A/M declined to Rs. 233. The market closed at 5 p.m. as under:—

	Rs. a. p.
Broach J/A	221 12 0
Broach A/M	231 12 0
Oomra July	213 8 0
Oomra D/J	212 4 0
Bengal July	185 0 0
Bengal D/J	177 12 0

Cotton Room Rates

Bombay, June 29

	Extra Sprfine	Sup	Fine	FG	Good
M G—					
Bengal U P		195	192	189	186
Punjab		195	192	189	186
Oomra No. 3	223	220	217	214	
C P No. 1	236	233	230	227	
C P No. 2	227	224	221	218	
Broach No. 2		230	227	224	221
Punjab Ame		242	239	236	233
Surat		289	286	283	280
Rajpipla		285	282	279	276
Navsari		300	297	294	291

Ready Cotton Quotations

Bombay, June 29.

Bengal Superfine	195/97
Bengal Fine	191/93
C. P. 1	221/23
C. P. 2	216/18
Arvi	216/18
Ellichpur	214/16
Berar	211/14
Khamgaon	211/14
Mulkopur	208/11
Khandesh	204/08
Jalna/Sailu	204/08
Burwah Sanavad	211/14
Mathia	181/86
Broach Fine	224/29
Punjab/American	224/31
Punjab 289 F.	294/304
Jagadia-Ankleshwar	264/66
Surat	274/79
Navsari	296/99
Kampala	411/14

Indian Cotton Figures

Bombay, June 29

RECEIPTS INTO BOMBAY
Since 1st Sept.

In full-pressed bales	2 days.	This year.
Khandesh		205,651
Central India	151	335,597
Barsi and Nagar	180	174,137
Hyderabad Gaorani		101,494
Berar	155	579,168
Central Provinces		113,941
Total Oomras	486	509,988
Dholera	1,89	162,065
N W Provinces		9,848
Rajputana	64	95,626
Sind Punjab		336,506
Broach		349,143
Coompta and Dharwar	6	86,432
Westerns Northerns	91	38,491
Cocoanada		153
Tinnevelly and Cambodia	962	17,368
Persian		4
American		18,663
Egyptian and African	311	326,232
Comilla, Burma and other sorts		22
Total	3,813	2,981,601

Exports From Bombay

1st Sept to 24th June

In full-pressed bales	Yesterday.	This year.
Europe	724	437,636
Japan and China	20,255	1,379,649
Coast Ports	210	32,041
Up-country by Rail		252,532
Afloat in harbour for Europe, China and Japan		21,891
Total	21,189	2,123,748

HIGH & LOW COTTON PRICES

Bombay, June 29.

Broach July/Aug. Op. 224 3/4; Highest 225 3/4; Lowest 224 3/4; Closing 225 1/4

Broach A/M. 1938 Op. 233 1/4; Highest 234 1/4; Lowest 233 1/4; Closing 234.

Oomra July Op. 217 1/4; Highest 218 1/4; Lowest 217 1/4; Closing 217 1/4.

Oomra D/J. Op. 214; Highest 214 1/4; Lowest 214; Closing 214 1/4.

Bengal July Op. 188; Highest 188; Lowest 187 3/4; Closing 187 3/4.

Bengal D/J Op. 179 1/4; Highest 179 1/4; Lowest 178 1/2; Closing 178 1/2.

T/Mandi for Broach April/May (21-7-37) Rs. 8

T/Mandi for Broach April/May (31-3-38) Rs. 26

Cotton Straddles

APPROXIMATE DIFFERENCES

New York—Liverpool:—
July 181 October 187 at Cross Rate 4.93 1/16.

Bombay—Liverpool:—
Broach J/A 1937 224/12—Liverpool July 6.82 Rs. 72 1/4 at Exchange 1/6.

Bombay—Liverpool:—
Broach A/M. 1938 233/8—Liverpool May 1938 6.92 Rs. 67 3/4 at Exchange 1/6

Bombay—New York:—
Broach J/A 1937 224/12—New York July 12.20 Rs. 50 1/4 at Cross Rate 4.93 1/16.

Bombay—New York:—
Broach A/M 1938 233/8—New York May 12.30 Rs. 43 3/4 at Cross Rate 4.93 1/16.

Cotton Arrivals

Receipts into Bombay on 28th June	5,296
Receipts into Bombay to date since 1-9-1936	2,977,788
Receipts into Bombay same time last season	2,346,038
Increase	631,750

GOLD AND SILVER

Bombay, June 29.

Yesterday London gold prices improved 1/2d to £7-0-8. London-Paris Exchange rate declined 36 points at 110.53. It is learnt as per latest cables that exchanges in France will remain closed pending the new financial policy. Dollar-Sterling cross rate closed at 4.93 1/16 London silver prices improved 1/6d to 19 15/16 for spot and the forward quotations was raised to 20d. India bought and offerings were small and the market was quietly steady. Later on buyers were satisfied and there were sellers at 1/16d. over fixed prices. New York silver prices remained unchanged and Montreal silver futures closed unchanged to 25 points down. Shanghai T. T. on London was quoted 1.2 7/16. The local market was quiet but steady with a small business.

Gold market was firm in disturbing news from France and there was active buying and covering. Quotations were as under:—

GOLD.

	Rs. a. p.
Ready	34 12 6
Ashad delivery	34 11 0
Ashad Teji mandi	0 5 0
Shravan delivery	34 8 6
Shravan Teji mandi	0 8 6
SILVER.	
Ready	51 11 0
Jeth delivery	51 11 0
Ashad delivery	51 13 0
Ashad Teji mandi	0 14 0
Shravan delivery	51 14 0
Shravan Teji mandi	1 6 0

LONDON GOLD
London, June 28.

Gold Bars Fine per oz.	£7/0/8

LONDON SILVER.
London, June 28.

Spot	19 15/16
Forward	20

Montreal Silver

Montreal, June 28.

June	44.85
July	44.60—25
September	44.80—05

LONDON METALS

London, June 28.

Copper	£55 8 9
Lead	£23 16 3
Spelter	22 6 3
Tin	£225 0 0

BOMBAY METALS

Bombay, June 29

London market—	
Standard copper cash (buyers)	£56-10-0
Standard copper 3 months	£55-10-0
Electrolytic copper	£64-0-0
Bombay market—	
Yellow metal sheets	Rs. 40-8-0
Copper sheets	Rs. 51-12-0

Tone: Steady.

LINSEED & WHEAT

Bombay, June 29

Despite disappointing Continental demand prices closed in the Liverpool wheat market in consequence of the continued drought in Canada, Winnipeg and Chicago wheat prices flared up on alarming Canadian crop conditions and reports that the U. S. A. crop has been reduced 30 per cent by black rust. In Argentine the scattered showers are considered insufficient and unless there are good rains during the next few days the situation will become serious. The local market was fairly steady with a moderate turnover with improved buying.

Linseed September	8 3 9
Linseed May	8 4 9
Wheat September	5 10 3
Wheat January	5 14 3
Wheat May	5 10 9

Groundnuts And Seeds

Bombay, June 29.

Groundnuts August.—	Rs. a. p.
Opening	40 8 0
Highest	40 11 6
Lowest	40 4 0
Closing	40 4 0
Castorseeds September.—	
Opening	35 11 0
Highest	35 12 6
Lowest	35 6 6
Closing	35 6 6
Cottonseed September.—	
Opening	19 6 0
Highest	19 9 6
Lowest	19 4 0
Closing	19 4 0

Groundnuts Coromandel

London, June 28.

July	£14-12-6

Wheat Liverpool

Liverpool, June 28.

July	106 5/8d.
October	106 1/2d.
December	106 1/4d.

Wheat Chicago

Chicago, June 28.

July	dol 1.18 3/4
September	dol 1.19 7/8
December	dol 1.22 1/8

Produce Receipts

Bombay, June 29.

	Cwts
Wheat	4,710
Linseed	1,050
Rape, Rai and Mustardseeds	51
Poppyseed	31
Groundnuts	2,119
Castorseed	594
Rice	24,181
Myrabollams	180
Cottonseed	697
Mowraseed	961
Gram	1,667
Joowar	1,057
Barlee	275
Bajree	1,638
Indian Sugar	3,952
	Tons.
Coal	772

LONDON RUBBER.
London, June 28.

Smoked Sheet Standard Ribbed per lb.	5 7/16

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES

Bombay, June 29.

2 3/4 per cent 1948/52	99/13
3 per cent 1951/54	100/14
3 per cent 1941 Bonds	102/14
3 1/2 per ce G P N Cash	94/13
3 1/2 per cent 1947/50 Loan	105/7
3 per cent 1943 Bonds	106/14
3 per cent 1960/70 Loan	110/2
3 1/2 per cent 1955/60	117
3 per cent U P Bonds	96/8
3 per cent 1939/44	105/2
3 per cent 1940/43	107/12
3 1/2 per cent 1938/40 Loan	10
TAX FREES	
per cent 1945/55	119/8
per cent 1953/63	111/2
3 1/2 per cent 1938 Mysore	104/4
per cent 1935 Mysore	122/4
CORPORATION DEBENTURE	
3 per cent B P T 1974	107/4
per cent M Deb 1974	107
3 per cent M Deb 1949	117
5 per cent 1954	129
5 per cent B P T 1956	129
6 1/2 per cent B I T 1937	101

The market was steady

Note:—3 1/2 per cent Government paper was steady and in the absence of business prices were steady at Rs. 94/13.

Tone was quiet.

MONEY AND EXCHANGES

Bombay, June 29.

B C Rate I I D D	1/6 1/16
LONDON—	
Bank's selling I I D D	1/6 3/32
Bank's buying T T	1/6 5/32
Bank's buying D D	1/6 3/16
Bank's buying 3 months	1/6 7/32
NEW YORK:—	
Bank's selling T T	269 7/8
Bank's buying T T	267 5/8
PARIS:—	
Bank's selling T T	827
Bank's buying T T	842
JAPAN:—	
Bank's selling T T	77 3/8
Bank's buying T T	77
AMSTERDAM:—	
Bank's selling D D	67 1/4
JAVA:—	
Bank's selling D D	67
HONGKONG:—	
Bank's selling D D	82 3/4
SHANGHAI:—	
Bank's selling D D	81
SINGAPORE:—	
Bank's selling D D	156 1/4
BERLIN:—	
Bank's selling D D	91 1/2

CROSS RATE:—

New York/London 4.93 1/8 29th instant.

Japan/London 1/2 29th instant.

Hongkong/London 1/2 13/16 29th instant.

Shanghai/London 1/2 7/16 29th instant

Java/London 8.94 5/8 29th instant.

London/Paris 110.53 28th instant.

London/Belgium 29.21 3/4 28th inst.

London/Switzerland 21.51 3/4 28th instant.

London/Berlin 12.29 3/4 28th instant.

London/Stockholm 19.39 1/2 28th instant.

London/New York 4.93.07 28th instant.

London/Amsterdam 8.96 7/8 28th instant.

London/Italy 98.77 28th instant.

Tone of Sterling Exchange:—Steady, Dull.

Gold £7-0-7 1/2 26th instant.

Gold £7-0-8 28th instant.

Silver London Ready 19 7/8 28th instant.

Silver London Ready 19 15/16 28th instant.

Silver London Forward 19 15/16 26th instant.

Silver London Forward 20 28th instant.

Silver New York Ready 45 26th instant

Silver New York Ready 45 28th instant.

London Discounts 3 months 11/16 per cent 26th instant

London Discounts 3 months 11/16 per cent 28th instant.

London Discounts 6 months 11/16 per cent 26th instant.

London Discounts 6 months 11/16 per cent 28th instant.

Reserve Bank Rate 5 per cent.

Bank of England Rate 2 per cent

MONEY:—

Call 3/4 per cent.

4 months 1 1/4 per cent.

6 months 1 1/4 per cent

Tone: Quiet

Alexandria Cotton

Alexandria, June 28

SAKELS—	
July	18.37+02
November	18.42+05
ASHMOUNI—	
August	15.07+07
October	14.61+16
December	14.57+19
GIZA—	
July	18.47—25
November	18.69+01

Argentine Linseed

Buenos Aires, June

July	15.55
August	15.8
September	15.74

Bombay Sugar

Bombay, June 29

	Rs.
Ready Java	15 7 0
Shipment July August	5 14 6
Shipment September	5 14 3
Shipment Oct Dec	5 15 6
Kesar	10 10 0
Saraya	10 2 0
Java Spot	F 7.00

American Cotton Figures

F P Bales	1936-37	1935-36
Receipts to date 28-6-37	6787000	7043000
Receipts yesterday 28-6-37	5000	5000
Exports to date 28-6-37	5585000	5567000
Stock at Ports 25-6-37	122900	1452000
Stock at Interior Towns 25-6-37	96200	1422000
Stock at Liverpool 25-6-37	88600	721000
Visible Supply 25-6-37	3425000	3881000
Quantity in sight 25-6-37	12957000	12257000
Quantity out of sight 25-6-37	11714000	11476000

Further Rise Shares

ACTIVE COVERING AN BUYING

Cotton Mill Issues V

General business displayed further ex Share Bazar and conditions were brighte

Disturbed European political situatio support and some short covering together prices registered further improvement Th scrips on the forward list recorded improv

It was pointed out that market was p although month-end evening up checked e of the market was very good. All realisings and Brokers were forced to bid up prices t scarcity of sellers as on an average a large n optimistic and are eager to buy on a rising

Tata Steel Dfds. opened to-day at Rs. 1, to Rs. 1,515 improved to Rs At this leve ing which eased off prices to Rs 1,520, but fessional and some new buying pushed up p closed at about the highest level at Rs 1,557-8 dinary shares improved to Rs. 342-8

Cotton Mill shares ruled steady, but now t verted to Steel Shares, there was no business shares, which remained very steady. Cement S Bombay Burmas recorded further improvement

Budlee differences were moderate and the was good. Business for the next Settlement com On the 1st and 2nd proximo the market will r hour only, but Budlee business will continue fro

TEXTILE SHARES

BOMBAY, June 29

	Rs. as.
100 Ahm Advance (Rs. 8)	290 0
200 BOM. DYING (Rs. 25)	945 0
100 CENTURY	207 8
100 CEN. INDIA (Rs. 4)	278 12
100 COLABA (Rs. 5)	182 8
100 Coorla (Rs. 5)	107 8
250 Davio	75 0
250 Dawn (Rs 10)	160 0
1 E. D. Sassoon (nil)	0-8-0
100 Finlay (Rs. 2-8)	136 4
100 GOKAK (Rs. 2-8)	183 12
1000 Hindustan (Rs	50 0
100 Indore	50 10
100 Khatau (Rs 2)	81 4
100 KOHINOOR (Rs	328 2
250 Laxmi (Rs 12-8	575 0
1000 Morarji (nil)	05 0
250 Model	50 10
50 MYSO (Rs.	10 0
200 NEW GREAT (n	352 8
100 Osm (Re	8 0
100 Phoeni (10)	165 0
25 SASSOON SILK (R	62 8
1000 Sholapur (Rs 50	2000 0
50 SIMPLEX (Rs. 1-8	94 6
100 SWADESHI (Rs	252 8
100 Swan (nil)	105 0
500 Vishnu (Rs 50)	525 0
1000 Western (Rs 40	805 0
BANKS	
50-100 Baroda (Rs 2-8	112 8
500 Imperial (Rs 30)	537 8
12-50 I. Conty. (Rs	325 12
60-100 India (Rs 2-8)	135 0
100 Reserve Bank (Rs	127 8
5 Union (As. 4)	5-12-0
CEMENT	
100 Associated	155 0
10 BUNDI (Rs. 10)	38 6
100 Coimbatore (Rs	18 0
70 Gwalior (Rs. 4)	127 8
160 INDIAN (Rs 24)	492 8
40 Katni Def	2200 0
100 KATNI ORD. (Rs	370 9
75 Okha (Rs 12)	237 8
10 PUNJAB (As 12)	28 0
100 SHAHABAD (Rs	492 8
70 Union (Rs 5)	145 0
INSURANCE	
100-500 Empire (Rs 14)	1005 0
15-100 Jupiter (As. 12)	15 8
15-75 New India (Rs 1	42 0
20 Mercantile	56 8
200 Oriental (125)	450 0
10-50 Vulcan (As. 8)	7 10
ELECTRIC	
100 Ahmedabad Old	171 14
1,000 ANDHRA VALLEY (Rs. 45)	1,650 0
10 Ajmer (As. 4)	13 8
50 B'BAY TRAM (Rs. 2-8)	149 6
100 B'Bay Suburban (Rs. 6)	182 8
10 Broach	14 0
100 Karachi (4)	277 8
100 Poona (4)	280 0
100 Surat (Rs 6)	211 4
100 TATA HYDRO (Rs. 5)	176 4
10.0 TATA POWER (Rs 40)	1,380 0
RAILWAYS	
500 Ahmedabad Prantij	930 0
100 C. Province	95 4
100 Dhond Baramati	97 3
100 Gujarat	93 8
100 Mandra Bhen	97 4
100 Pachora Jamne.	94 8
100 Sara Sirajgunj	101 0
500 Tapti Valley	748 12
MININGS	
10 SHIVRAJPUR (Rs. 5)	63 0
30 TATA STEEL DEF. (Rs. 7-8)	1,557 8
75 TATA STEEL ORD (Rs. 7-8)	342 8
MISCELLANEOUS	
100 ALOCK (Rs. 5)	310 0
50 BELAPUR SUGAR (Rs. 8)	162 8
200 B'Bay Sug. Def (Rs 10)	90 0
250 BOM STEAM (Rs 13-12)	270 0
125 B. BURMA (Rs. 12-8)	723 12
50 Do. Conty. (Rs. 6)	240 10
8sh. Br. B. Petrol (nil)	5 2
50 B TELEPHONE (Rs. 1-8)	114 0
9 Burma Corp. (As 8)	11 10
2sh. Indian Copper	3 4
10 Indian Iron and Steel	44 8
100 I. BLEACHING (Rs. 3)	138 12
50 I. Invest Trust (Rs 2)	47 8
100 I. Radio Defd. (12)	590 0
100 I. Radio Ord (15)	535 0
1,000 Port Canning (Rs 25)	606 4
15 Scindia (Re. 1)	26 4
30 PREMIER CON.	89 0
25 Tata Oil (nil)	30 0
PREFERENCE	
7 p.c. Andhra Valley	1537 8

ACTIVE SHAR

Bombay Dyeing	
947 945	
Century (207/8)	
Central India (27	
Kohinoor (327/8)	
New Great (253/12	
Simplex (95/10) 95	
Swadeshi (255/10)	
Sundi (38/4) 38/4	
Cement (490) 49	
Punjab (28) 28	
Shahabad (488/12)	
Andhra (1655) 1652	
Tata Hydro (178/14)	
Tata Power (1382/	
1372 1375 1380	
T. Steel Dfd. (1517/8	
1535 1510 1540 1537 1553	
T. Steel Ord. (338)	
339/8 341/8 340 343 342/8	
Tata Stee 2nd Pref	
163 162/12	
Bellapur (161/14) 161 16	
B. Steam (270) 270	
B. Burma (712/8) 711 7	
720 725 723	

WALL STREET M

New York,

Messrs. Batlivala and Kar issued the following quotati New York Stock Exchange:—

	Del.
Amr. Gas and Electric	29
Ame. Power and Light Pfd. 5 p.c. A	44
Ame. Forn Power Pfd. 7 p.c.	48
Electric P and Light 7 p.c. Pfd.	65
Electric Bond Common	18
Consolidated (Gas) Edison	32
United Corpn.	4
Northern S. Power A	19
American Tel. and Tel.	158 3/4
Western Union Telg.	41 2/4
Chesapeake and Ohio Rly	51
Great North d. Rly.	47
New York Central Rly.	35
Pennsylvania Rly.	35
Southern Pacific Rly.	41
Delware and Hudson	94
Bethehelhem Steel	91
Crucible Steel	67
Ludlum	37
National Steel	79
Republic Steel	37
United S Steel	96 1/4
Amr. Car Foundry	46
Am. Rolling Mills	32
Anaconda Copper Mining	50 3/4
Int. Nickel of Canada	57 1/2
Chrysler	94
General Motors	46 3/4
General Electric	51
American Radiator	21
Barnsdall Oil	24
Consolidated Oil	15
Socony Oil	19
St. Oil of N J.	82
Chase Bank	45 1/2
National City Bank	29 1/2
Amerex	24 1/4
National Distillers	32

Market continues dull. Turnover 700,000 shares.

Brought In Canada

A cable from New York states:—

Wheat no demand for actuals. Market affected at present chiefly by weather report. Reports of rust in United States continues. Canada drought continues.

Osaka Sampin

Osaka, June 2

August	286.2
October	281.2
December	258.4

Osaka Cotton

Osaka, June 2

August	77.
September	77.8

6 p.c Bombay Steam	300
7 p.c Bom. Tram (T.F.)	95 0
5 p Central India (T	511-4
7 p.c Katni 1st	138 2
7 p.c Katni 2nd (T F	146 4
7 1/2 p.c Punjab Cement	12 12
6-1/4 p.c Prem Const 1st	102 0
6 1/4 p.c Prem Const 2nd	99 8
7 p.c Tata Hydro	153 12
7 1/2 p.c Tata Power	1.560 0
6 p.c Tata Steel 1st	190 0
7-1/2 p.c Tata Steel 2nd	162 12
7 p.c Vishnu	650 0
DEBENTURES	
3 3 p.c Andhra Valley	101 0
6 p.c Andhra Valley	109 8
4 p.c. Bom. Telephone	51 8
7 p.c Sholapur	81 4
8 p.c Tata Hydro	110 0

(Last Dividend in Brackets and Capital letters indicate shares on forward List.)

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Stand Shoulder To Shoulder With Congress

JAWAHAR URGES LABOUR UNITY WITH ADVANCED POLITICAL FORCES

AHMEDABAD (By Mail).

The following is the full text of the message which Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, Congress President, has sent to the Ahmedabad session of the Bombay Provincial Trade Union Conference.

"I understand from your letter that the Bombay Provincial Trade Union Conference is being held in Ahmedabad on the 27th June. I send my good wishes for this Confe[illegible]

[illegible] BY CONGRESS

"The labour movement in India has many difficult problems. It has, of course, of the conditions of labour and how to improve it. It has further to consider what part Labour should play in the National movement for political freedom. The dominant question in India to-day is the question of Indian Independence, because only freedom can we deal satisfactorily with our social problems. Therefore, we have been growing up in India an increasing realisation that Labour must stand shoulder to shoulder with the National Congress in the struggle for freedom.

"I trust that your Conference will meet with success in framing policies both for the Labour movement as and for this vital political movement which ultimately includes the Labour movement. Labour as such has to deal with the continuous attempts of employers to cut wages and reduce their standard of living. This of course has to be combatted. But to do so as a larger unity is necessary between all the Labour forces in the country as well as the advanced political forces. For that unity we must all work."

OBSERVE JULY 17 AS "SPAIN DAY"

Bombay Presidency Trade Union Conference Call

AHMEDABAD (By Mail).

The Bombay Provincial Trade Union Conference passed a number of resolutions in the open session which concluded late last night.

It urged the working class to send its representatives to the Congress in large numbers and demanded collective affiliation of the workers and the peasants in the Congress, with a view to turning it into "a radical and revolutionary organisation, stripped of its compromising and reformist leadership."

PUPPETS CONDEMNED

It condemned the formation of interim ministries as anti-democratic, anti-national and anti-popular, and disapproved of the compromising trend of the Congress leaders on the question of office acceptance.

It condemned the attacks of Government on the Civil Liberties of the Indian people and demanded the immediate withdrawal of all repressive laws.

It sent fraternal greetings to the people of Spain in their fight for national liberation and democracy and called upon all the working class and other national organisations to observe 17th July—the first anniversary of the Spanish struggle for democracy—as Spain day.

It condemned the Mudie Committee report and exhorted all the Railway workers in India to prepare for an all India Railway workers struggle.—A.P.

LIBERALS' ADVICE TO CONGRESS

Viceroy's Statement And Acceptance Of Offices

At a meeting of the Council of the Western India National Liberal Association held on Monday evening the following resolution was adopted:—

"The Council of the Western India National Liberal Association is of opinion that the Viceroy's statement is a further clarification of the constitutional position, regarding the deadlock, which has arisen in the six provinces.

The Council believes that consistently with the reactionary provisions of the Government of India Act it would not have been competent for the Viceroy to go further to meet the demand of the Congress for assurances. The Council appreciates the sympathetic exposition of the constitutional relations between the Governor and the Ministers particularly emphasising the privilege of the Ministers to influence the Governors by their advice even in the sphere of their special responsibilities and in the event of serious disagreement allowing them the liberty to disclose to the legislatures and the electorate the advice tendered by them to the Governors justifying their position.

"The Council feels that in view of the assurance in spirit if not in letter conveyed by the statement, it will be in the best interests of the country for the Congress to accept offices in those provinces where its representatives hold a dominant position in order to carry out measures for amelioration of the condition of the people and also to hasten the drastic amendment of the Government of India Act by a demonstration of its inherent defects in its actual working."

Nominated To Bihar Council

RANCHI, June 29.

A notification has been issued announcing that the Bihar Governor has nominated the following to be members of the Bihar Legislative Council (Upper Chamber):—

Mrs. Malcolm Sinha and Mr. Samuel Purti.

These nominations are understood to have been made with a view to securing the representation of interests not already represented in the Council, namely, women and aboriginal inhabitants of Chota Nagpur.—A. P.

GOVT. OF INDIA TO RECEIVE ALIGARH 'VARSITY DEPUTATION

SIMLA: June 29.

It is understood the Government of India have agreed to receive a deputation from the Aligarh Moslem University some time in August next when the Central Legislature is in session here. The deputation 'inter alia' will discuss the question of an additional grant of Rs. 5 lakhs for the University.

It will be recalled the Vice-chancellor Dr. Ziauddin visited Simla early this month, when he discussed the question with the Education Department of the Government and requested them to receive a deputation from the University. This the Government have now agreed to.

The report of Messrs. Wood and Abbott, Educational Experts, is now under careful examination of the Government, both by the Education and Industries and Labour Departments.

The report will be placed for discussion before the next Central Advisory Board for Education.—A. P.

Food Poisoning Victims' Progress

KARACHI, June 29.

The Associated Press has been officially informed by the Sind Independent Brigade Area office that all members of the Garrison, who were affected by food poisoning are progressing satisfactorily. Eight are already out of hospital. The rest will be discharged within the next two days. Everything is entirely satisfactory.—A. P.

The executive council of the Mysore Boy Scouts' Association resolved to accept the disclaimer made by Lord Baden-Powell.

SEC. 108 AGAINST U. P. CONGRESSMEN

Security Proceedings Sequel To Criticism Of Police?

(From Our Correspondent)

AGRA (By Mail)

The local police have started security proceedings under Sec. 108 Cr. P. C. against Mr. Chandra Dhar Johri, a member of the All-India Congress Committee and the Chief Secretary of the U. P. Branch, Laxmi Insurance Co., Ltd., and Mr. Jagan Prasad Rawat M.L.A., Secretary, District Congress Committee.

The Agra Congress Committee held its annual political Conference at Fatehpur Sikri on June 12. It was presided over by Diwan Shashtrughan Singh, M.L.A. of Hamirpur. And at the time of the presidential procession the police are alleged to have tried to get the market closed. Mr. Johri and Mr. Rawat delivered speeches condemning the police attitude. The police has regarded certain passages in those speeches as objectionable. The Superintendent of Police, on the information of Mr. Wazir Abbas, sub-inspector, made a report to the District Magistrate and he therefore demanded of Mr. Johri and Mr. Rawat to show cause why they should not be asked to furnish security for their good behaviour.

Provincial Congress Committee and Pt. Jawaharlal Nehru have instructed the local Congress Committee to fight out the case. Pt. Govind Ballabh Pant is himself coming to Agra to argue the case.

The prosecution has concluded evidence on 22nd and 24th, and cross-examination will be resumed from 3rd July.

ORGANISING PEASANTS IN U. P.

Sahajanand's Extensive Tour In Province

(From A Correspondent)

ALLAHABAD, (By Mail.)

With the purpose of building up and strengthening the Kisan movement in the United Provinces, Swami Sahajanand, Secretary, All-India Kisan Committee toured the province from the 6th to the 20th of June accompanied by Mr. Harsha Deo Malviya, a young peasant worker of Allahabad.

The districts visited include "Farrukhabad, Allahabad, Ballia, Unnao, Jhansi, Jalaun, Etapur, Rae Bareli and Gorakhpur.

At Farrukhabad he presided over a Kisan Conference organised by the local Kisan Sabha.

At Allahabad he addressed three peasant meetings organised by the Peasant Committee of the local Congress Socialist Party.

At Ballia he presided over the District Kisan Conference and a Kisan Committee was also formed for starting a Kisan Sabha in the District. At Unso he addressed the Youth Conference attended by a larger number of peasants. In Jhansi District he addressed four huge peasant meetings and presided over one Tehsil Kisan Conference. He addressed a big peasant meeting at Konch near Orai in Jalaun District and the next day the District Political Conference at Sitapur. After addressing a peasant meeting at Rae Bareli he proceeded to preside over the district Kisan Conference at Gorakhpur. Object of organisation and Swamiji took special care to meet local peasant workers in each district explaining to them the day to day tasks of peasant organisations and answering the numerous questions put by them. In public meetings as well as in private talks he emphasised that the Kisan Sabhas are not an organisation to weaken the Congress but to give it an organised peasant backing. He also brought home to the peasant the great power that he could command if organised.

The Congress officials co-operated with the organisers to make the tour a success. The local rank and file workers particularly of Kisan organisation, and promised to carry out the programme to their best capacity in their districts.

Janniot's Work Of Art

One of the series of sculptural workmanship decorating the Bas-reliefs of the Museum of modern arts in the Paris exhibition. This work was executed by the famous French sculptor Janniot.

ANTI-CONSTITUTION CONFERENCE

Ruiker's Move For United Fight

NAGPUR, June 28.

Mr. R. S. Ruiker, President of the Nagpur Provincial Trade Union Congress, has addressed a circular letter to some prominent Congress workers and peasants and labour leaders in the Province, suggesting to hold an anti-office conference at Wardha sometime between 5th and 7th of July.—United Press.

MUSLIM MASS CONTACT DRIVE

C. P. Committee Invites Jawaharlal

(From Our Own Correspondent)

NAGPUR, June 26.

The second meeting of the Nagpur Muslim mass contact was held at the 'Umeed' office with Mr. P. K. Salwe in the chair.

Maulana Umar Ansari, who is in charge of Kamptee, and Mr. Misrar Ahmed, who is in charge of Nagpur, explained the progress they had made in the matter of establishing contact with Muslim masses and expressed the hope that within the course of another week they would be in a position to enlist a large number of Muslims as members of the Congress.

The meeting decided to invite Pundit Jawaharlal Nehru, while he comes to Wardha for attending Working Committee meeting, to address Muslim Mass Contact meetings in the province.

Invitations were issued to Muslim leaders of all-India repute also.

B. A. STUDENT IN THEFT CASE.

Madhu Phate, resident of Bhandara and a B.A. student of Hislop College, Nagpur, has been put under arrest by the city police on a charge of stealing a gold 'Kanthi' from the house of one Balkrishna Deogade of Circle 2.

Mr. Chaganlal Bharuka, M.L.A. was elected a trustee of the Abhyankar Memorial Fund in place of late Mr. Ganpatrao Tikekar.

The Secretaries to the Government of C. P. and Berar are coming down to plains on June 28.

Mr. V. Subramanya Iyer, retired Registrar of the Mysore University, who has been invited by the International Conference of Philosophers at Paris in August.

LOCAL BODIES' ELECTIONS IN BERAR

Congressmen Form Provincial Organisation

(From Our Correspondent.)

AKOLA, (By Mail.)

The first meeting of the Berar Provincial Congress Local Bodies Election Committee was held on the 22nd June in Rajasthan Bhavan, Akola at 5 p.m. under the presidentship of Mr. Brijlal Biyani.

Mr. M. S. Aney was also present.

Mr. Biyani was elected President of the Committee and Messrs P. B. Gole and P. D. Kulkarni Secretaries.

An Executive Committee consisting of 8 members was also appointed.

The Committee resolved to request the Berar Provincial Congress Committee to elect 4 more members on this committee one from each Nagar Congress Committees of Akola, Amraoti, Khamgaon and Yeotmal. In the meanwhile the president of each Nagar Congress Committee should be invited to attend the meetings of the Committee.

Nine Rajkot Scouts Return Badges

(From Our Correspondent)

RAJKOT: Ju[illegible]

Under the auspices of the Rajkot Students' Union a me[illegible] was held in the Rashtriya Shala premises to protest against interference of Lord Baden-Powell, the Chief Scout of the world.

Stirring speeches were made by various speakers who coned [illegible]e conduct of the Chief Scout in damning the whole nation on[illegible]on.

NINE SCOUTS RETURNED THEIR BADGES ON THE OCON.

The meeting also protested against the stiff results o[illegible]kot [illegible]tate schools this year and decided to send a deputation t[illegible] on [illegible]he Headmaster of Alfred High School, Rajkot.

HIS COMPLETE FAITH IN SCOUT MOVEMENT

Lord Brabourne's Assurance

The following letter signed to the Governor of Bombay, has been issued from Government House, Ganeshkhind, dated 28th June 1937:—

My Dear Sir Jamsetjee,—Having [illegible]efore me Lord Baden-Powell's [illegible]able of denial and his letter to Mr. Hogg explaining his alleged statements to the Press Correspondents in England, I want, as Chief Scout of the Bombay Presidency, to assure you and, through you, our Scouters and Scouts, that I am completely satisfied that Lord Baden-Powell had no intention whatsoever of offering any insult to India or to Indians, and that I fully accept his denial and explanation in the Scout spirit in which he has given them.

No one who listened to Lord Baden-Powell's inspiring Broadcast yesterday and who heard his friendly and well-deserved tribute to the Scouts of India co[illegible]gine, for one moment, t[illegible]e would have expressed sents casting any aspersion on[illegible]ose very same members of [illegible]reat Family about whom [illegible]hered those very fine words so soon afterwards.

I had the honour [illegible]ging Lord and Lady Baden-P[illegible] as my guests on two separa[illegible]sions during their recent [illegible] to India, and I therefore [illegible]e opportunity of hearing [illegible]any times, his expressions [illegible]tion for India and his appreci[illegible] of the work which his Sc[illegible]ound Scouters are doing here.

As Chief Scout of the [illegible]bay Presidency, let me assu[illegible], once again, of my complet[illegible]h in the Scout movement [illegible]my confidence that the Sco[illegible]in this Presidency will not[illegible]ow themselves to be influence[illegible]the campaign which is be[illegible]nged against our movement.[illegible]rs, etc.

(Sd.) BRABO[illegible]
Sir Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy [illegible]
Provincial Commis[illegible],
Boy Scouts Association, Bo[illegible]y
Presidency, Bombay.

SOLDIERS AND CIVILIANS FOOD POISONED

Sequel To Use Of Tinned Ham In Karachi

KARACHI: June 28.

On taking tinned ham imported from abroad sixteen British soldiers besides a number of civilians developed symptoms of food poisoning such as diarrhoea and colic pain taken to hospital where they are progressing.

The Municipal health authorities have seized the remaining stocks from the local stores.

It is understood that seventeen members of British military and one R.A.F. are doing well in the hospital and probably they will be discharged to-morrow.

Enquiries show that the local stores who are contractors to army mess, supplied the tinned ham which was presumably stale and became contaminated due to contact with tin.

Sample of the food has been sent to the Government Bacteriologist for analysis.—

SIXTEEN IN HOSPITAL

One R.A.F. officer and fifteen privates of the West Kents have been taken to the British Military Hospital suffering from mild poisoning from some tinned food.

They are expected to be discharged to-morrow.—A. P.

C. P. Ban On "Shree Chhatrapati Shivaji"

NAGPUR, June 28.

His Excellency, the Governor, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by clause (A) of Section 3 of the Dramatic Performance Act, has prohibited the performance of the drama called "Shree Chhatrapati Shivaji", written by Dr. Suvarn Singh Varma Anand, Agra, in the C. P. and Berar, on the ground that the drama is of a scandalous nature.—United Press.

C. P. Cotton Committee

NAGPUR, June 28.

The Local Government has reconstituted a Provincial Cotton Committee to work in conjunction with the Central Cotton Committee. Twelve members, officials and non-officials, have been nominated on the Committee.—United Press.

No-Confiden In Orissa Assembly

CONGRESS M. L.'s DEMAND SESSI IMMEDIATEL

CUTTACK, Ju[illegible]

Thirty-five Congress [illegible]bers of the Orissa Legislative Assembly have sent a letter to the Gov[illegible]nor of Orissa, urging His Excellency to summon a meeting the Legislative Assembly immely.

The letter says: "The [illegible]ting of the Orissa Assembly has been delayed too long, and urge Your Excellency to sum[illegible] the meeting of the Assembly immediately, so as to en[illegible] the members to discharge their duties to the electorate.

"Further, the so-called [illegible]ncil of Ministers, constituted His Excellency in violation of fundamental basis of the Gov[illegible]ernment of India Act and Instrument of Instructions, has no claim for confidence or [illegible]fication, either jointly or [illegible]rally, entitling them to speak [illegible] or advise in any matter in [illegible] name nor in the name or on [illegible]alf of the people of this Provi[illegible]

The Orissa Assembly [illegible]stands a total strength of 60 [illegible]mbers.—United Press.

FACILITIES FOR NIGHT [illegible]ING

India Govt.'s Plo [illegible]n Sind

KARACHI, [illegible] 28.

Simultaneous with [illegible]aking the lighting up of th[illegible]ndian trans-Continental air [illegible]r in connection with the [illegible]e Air Mail Scheme, the Gover[illegible]t of India, it is understood, [illegible]considering the proposal for [illegible]pping the Karachi-Lahore [illegible]r air mail route with night [illegible]e facilities.

In this connection, it [illegible] stated that beacon lights are [illegible]ly to be installed at Pad [illegible]hana and Jacobabad on the Karachi-Lahore air route.—Unit[illegible]ress.

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